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SIXTY-SIXTH CONGRESS OPENS FINAL SESSION; PRESIDENT-ELECT HARDING ADDRESSES SENATE

WILSON RECEIVES SENATORS LODGE AND UNDERWOOD IN THE BLUE ROOM

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, headed a committee which called at the White House today to inform President Wilson that congress was in session and ready to receive communications from him. It was the first meeting between the President and Senator Lodge since before the peace treaty was defeated in the senate under Senator Lodge's leadership.

The president received the senators and representatives in the Blue Room. It was the first committee of notification from the fifth congress to call upon him and was the first congressional committee with one exception to be received by Mr. Wilson since he was taken ill more than a year ago.

Senator Underwood, of Alabama, the Democratic leader in the senate, was the other member of the senate committee to wait on the president.

The last meeting between Mr. Wilson and Senator Lodge took place at the White House on August 19, 1919, when the Senate Foreign Relations Committee called to discuss the peace treaty and the League of Nations' covenant with the president.

President Wilson did not indicate to them whether he would address con-

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Harding Forecasts Day Of Friendly Relations Between Congress And White House

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—The third and final session of the Sixty-Sixth Congress began today with President-elect Harding in his seat in the senate. The galleries began to fill early in the day and were crowded when the gavels of Vice President Marshall and Speaker Gillett fell promptly at noon.

Senator Harding was given a round of applause as he entered the senate chamber just before noon. Spectators rose all over the galleries to obtain a better view of the president-elect, who entered from the Republican cloak room with Senator Lodge, Republican leader.

Mr. Harding was surrounded by a crowd of senators who shook his hand and clapped him upon the back. The president-elect welcomed his admirers with a broad smile.

Senator Harding spoke briefly and the senate then adjourned without transacting any business to await a communication from President Wilson.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—A day of co-operation and friendly relations between the White House and congress was forecast by President-elect Harding in a short address from the floor of the senate.

Though disclaiming any desire to criticize the present administration, Mr. Harding declared it one of the ambitions of his four years as chief executive to insure better team work between the two branches of the government.

The speech which did not touch on detailed questions of policy was delivered by the president-elect in response to an ovation that greeted him when he went to the senate chamber in his capacity as a senator and answered to the opening roll call of the new session.

Senator Harding rose to speak after Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, had called attention formally to his presence and asked that he be recognized by the vice president.

"I am pleased at this greeting by fellow members of the senate," said Mr. Harding. "There is still greater satisfaction in having the opportunity of saying to you informally some of the things in my heart which I could utter in no other way. I recognize that I am

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Have Tea Together

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Mrs. Warren G. Harding, wife of the president-elect, has accepted an invitation from Mrs. Wilson to have tea at the White House this afternoon.

Greeks Vote To Return King Constantine

ATHENS, Dec. 6.—(By the Associated Press)—Returns from the plebiscite held throughout Greece yesterday which was to decide whether the Greek people would recall former King Constantine to the throne made vacant by the death of his son, King Alexander, appear to indicate an overwhelming majority in favor of Constantine assuming power as King.

The vote is being counted as a matter of formality, for the plebiscite was considered farcial in this city and in the country at large. Reports for the nation generally already indicate a majority of 500,000 in favor of the return of Constantine and claims are made that the entire electorate of 800,000 voted for him. Definite returns from Piraus show 13,000 in favor of Constantine and only 100 against him. Four million ballots were printed for the plebiscite.

Arrangements have been made for the return of Constantine from Switzerland. It is pointed out in this city by adherents of the former king that the Allies "do not understand that the people demand Constantine and are losing time writing notes."

THREE POLICE ARE KILLED IN RAID ON VICE DEN

SANTA ROSA, Calif. Dec. 6.—George Boyd, accused of having shot and killed three officers who sought to arrest him yesterday in connection with recent attacks on girls in San Francisco was in jail today hovering near death from a gunshot wound inflicted by the officers. Three other persons arrested in connection with what the San Francisco police describe as an extraordinary trap set for young women of that city, were held in jail without charge. The shooting led last night to two unsuccessful attempts by infuriated citizens to storm the jail.

The officers shot to death were Sheriff A. Petray of Sonoma county

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Has Noted Artist's Idea Of Beauty Changed In 8 Years?

Mrs. John Barrymore, whom Artist Paul Helleu called the most beautiful woman in America eight years ago, at left, and Miss Ruby de Remer, his new choice. Below is Helleu.

Eight years ago Paul Helleu, who had then won fame with his portrayal of beautiful women, came to the United States from France, and, after studying American types of beauty, declared that Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas, now Mrs. John Barrymore, was "the most beautiful woman in America." And now Mr Helleu in America, has chosen Miss Ruby de Remer as his present ideal of American beauty. Art critics, after a study of the pictures of both women above, declare there are many points in contrast in the classic features and expression of Mrs. Barrymore and Miss de Remer. Certainly no one disputes the French artist's opinion that they are both beautiful.

MARION WILL BE SCENE OF REPUBLICAN CONFERENCES

BY T. H. E. PORCHMAN

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NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Dec. 4.—Triumphantly received and honored by the people heralds President-Elect Harding smiled happily as he stepped ashore after his voyage from Panama.

Mr. Harding told this correspondent that he felt a vast improvement in general health, particularly his nerves. He confided that when the campaign was over he felt as if his nerves were almost ready to crack as he had been through a terrific strain. He is now recovering of a feeling of relaxation and his mind and body is ready for the troubling jobs waiting at Marion.

The important conferences to begin at Marion on December 13 will include not only the League of Nations and foreign questions such as relations with Mexico and Japan and special treaty matters affecting things like Panama Canal tolls but domestic problems as well. The President-elect has also in mind the new department to be created over which a woman will preside. In such a department would be sought to fulfill the pledges made during the campaign in respect to a program of social justice.

For weeks to come the little town of Marion will be the center of interest throughout the world as the eyes of people as well as America will turn that way. According to present plans Senator Harding will tarry but two days in Washington—Monday and Tuesday and will be in Marion on Wednesday to get ready for the conferences of the following Monday.

BILL BARRING IMMIGRATION IS FAVORED

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Favorable report on the Johnson bill prohibiting immigration into the United States for a period of two years was ordered today by the House Immigration committee. Chairman Johnson of the committee, said the measure would be given preference in the house.

The measure would become effective sixty days after enactment.

The committee's report describes conditions existing which it says is necessary to restrict immigration as proposed. The measure would exempt blood relatives of naturalized citizens and also exempt for a period of six months persons who have resided continuously for one year in Cuba, Mexico, Canada and New Foundland. Six months exemptions are allowed for travelers and foreigners attending American educational institutions would be admitted for such time as their courses required.

Government Wins Anti-Trust Suit Against Lehigh Road

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—The government today won its anti-trust suit against the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company and affiliated corporations.

The supreme court in a decision read by Associate Justice Clarke, sustained charges of monopoly and violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The court held that charges of violation of the commodities clause in the formation of the Lehigh Coal Sales Company had been proven.

Redistribution of stock of the Lehigh Valley Company, asked by the government, was ordered by the court upon the government's contention that common stock ownership, officers and directors constituted restraint of trade prohibited by the Sherman act.

Justices McReynolds and Brandeis took no part in the consideration of the case. Justice McReynolds was attorney general while the case was pending.

GAP IN GOVERNMENT BETWEEN THE WILSON AND HARDING ADMINISTRATIONS TO BE BRIDGED

BY DAVID LAWRENCE

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The gap in government between the Wilson and Harding administrations will be bridged. Senator Harding will call at the White House to pay his respects. Conferences between members of the future cabinet and the present executives of the different government departments will come subsequent to the announcement of new cabinet personnel. The response of republican as well as Democratic editors to the suggestions of close cooperation between outgoing and incoming administrations for the best interests of the whole country has been almost unanimously favorable.

President Wilson himself is said to be ready to tell Senator Harding all the facts of foreign relations as they have been conveyed to him so that in mapping out his own foreign policy, the President-Elect shall have the benefit of the latest information concerning the true attitude of foreign governments.

Want Wilson to Send Treaty Back to The Senate

The President is being urged, moreover, to send the treaty of Versailles back to the Senate. It is true that the Senate once adopted a resolution saying it could not be ratified in its present form but the important happenings at Geneva have altered the whole face of things. The unanimous interpretation given officially at Geneva by the Assembly of the League of Nations that article ten did not mean a guarantee of territorial integrity has been suggested in debates in the American Senate but simply refers to external aggression has been looked upon by friends of the President as a good augury. The statement moreover of Denmark that she could not furnish troops for a certain purpose called for by the league council is also regarded as a precedent that will bolster up the view taken by Mr. Wilson heretofore concerning the freedom of action of every nation on the subject of military

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MYSTERY SHROUDS FIRE AND BURNING OF CHILDREN

YOUNGSTOWN, O., December 6.—Search today of the ruins of Mrs. Thomas Koehler's house near Hubbard, Ohio, where Mrs. Koehler was shot once and her two children were burned to death yesterday, disclosed the woman's revolver upon the charred bodies of the children. At the same time Harry Coler, a neighbor, now in custody at Warren, said he approached the Koehler house last night to visit Mrs. Koehler and heard two shots within. Mrs. Koehler's story was that a negro had shot her and set fire to the house when she fled.

Four suspects are in jail here.

Mrs. Koehler said that a negro robber, whom she resisted, shot her and then set the house afire, burning the children. She is in a hospital here with bullet wounds in the forehead, arm and spine, but will recover.

Warren authorities announced today that they were investigating Mrs. Koehler's story, and said they were inclined to the belief that a quarrel with a white man preceded the tragedy.

Mrs. Koehler, who ran to a neighbor's home after she was wounded, said that a negro had entered her home and demanded money. She refused and he opened fire with a revolver, she said, but she managed to reach the door and escaped. The neighbors, after rendering first aid to Mrs. Koehler, discovered that the Koehler home was afire. A bucket brigade was formed and attempt made to rescue the children, but to no avail.

Mrs. Koehler has made no statement since being brought here.

NEW PREMIER OF GREECE IS FACING GRAVE SITUATION

Premier George Rhallis.

Premier George Rhallis of Greece, who assumed the position following the overthrow of the Venizelos regime, must deal with a grave situation. Business in Greece is at a standstill. The allies are holding aloof pending the result of the plebiscites to decide whether ex-King Constantine will be recalled.

Many Liquor Cases Probed

COLUMBUS, O., December 6.—Approximately one hundred cases, mostly for alleged violation of the Volstead act, were taken up by the federal grand jury meeting here today.

LAWS IN CONFLICT

BOSTON, December 6.—The laws of Massachusetts are in conflict with the eighteenth amendment to the federal constitution and the Volstead act, in the opinion of Governor Coolidge.

Bomb Explosion Wrecks Porch

MOUNTKISCO, N. Y., December 6.—A bomb explosion early today wrecked the front porch of the home of Michael Pitrello, wealthy building contractor. Pitrello, aroused by the detonation which shook the neighborhood, dashed out of his house and fired five shots after a fleeing automobile.

Many windows in the vicinity were shattered but so far as is known, no one was injured.

Later the head of a local labor union was taken to police headquarters and questioned.

Major Leagues Win Case In The Court Of Appeals

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—The district court of appeals today reversed the recent judgment for $264,000 granted by the District Supreme Court against the major baseball leagues in favor of the Baltimore Federal League Club which claimed a violation of the anti-trust laws, by the use of the "reserve clause" in the players' contract.

The Appellate Court held that playing baseball did not constitute commerce as defined by United States Supreme Court decisions and that the anti-trust law did not apply. The "reserve clause" imposed restrictions, the court held, which related directly to the conservation of the personnel of the clubs and did not affect the movements of the Federal League Clubs. Any effect was merely accidental, the court found.

What Food The Body Needs

Answering that question and providing the food is the daily responsibility of every housewife. If it is properly answered, the family is well-nourished and likely to be healthy. If it is not properly answered, every member of the family suffers, is that much less fit.

The government, appreciating the importance and difficulty of this task of the housewife, has prepared a booklet for free distribution entitled "What the Body Needs."

It tells how much cereal, how much meat, how much fruit, the man of the house, the child in the school, the daughter who works in an office, should have.

It tells how to get the greatest possible food value for a dollar—tells you the amount of body-building material there is in given quantities of different kinds of foods. There is no service charge by our bureau. Send only two cents in stamps for return postage.

Frederic J. Haskin, Director,
The Portsmouth Daily Times
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Washington, D. C.

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Western Union Loses Fight

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—The Western Union Telegraph Company today lost its fight for an injunction restraining the Louisville and Nashville railroad company from removing its telegraph lines from the railroad's right of way when the Supreme court refused to review the decision of the lower courts.

Peace Time Budget Of Five Billion Dollars For U. S.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—(By the Associated Press)—Another peace-time estimate of nearly five billions of dollars for the government's expenses during the fiscal year 1922, faced congress when it reassembled today. The exact figures as transmitted by Secretary Houston were $4,653,856,759, an increase of nearly one billion dollars over the appropriations for the current year, but $211,000,000 less than the estimates submitted a year ago.

Continuing war costs were directly reflected throughout the estimates, indicating that the government might be on a four billion dollar basis for some years to come as compared with the one billion maximum preceding the war. The single item of interest on the public debt was almost the peer-war maximum of all appropriations, this total being $922,650,000. In addition there was an estimate of $65,751,861 for the war debt sinking fund.

Of the individual departments, the army and navy, as usual, asked for the greatest amounts, the estimate for the military establishment being $699,275,502 and for the naval establishment $638,522,231.

The total estimates as given by Mr. Houston follow:

Legislative (congress), $9,321,010.
Executive (White House and government departments), $125,118,379.
Judicial (supreme court), $1,950,215.
Department of agriculture, $11,985,379.
Foreign intercourse, $14,208,818.
Indian affairs, $11,569,703.
Pensions, $255,291,000.
Panama Canal, $10,187,255.
Public Works, $250,928,194.
Postal Service, $555,106,302.
Miscellaneous, $673,154,741.
Permanent annual appropriations, $1,290,770,394.

These estimates, prepared by the Democratic administration, are for the operation of the government during the first fiscal year of the new Republican administration. Republican leaders in the senate and house already have forecast a sharp cut in the total and within the week, the house committees will begin the work of shaping the bills which will carry the sums for the various departments.

500 Witnesses Before Federal Grand Jury

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 6.—The Federal grand jury today began the examination of 500 witnesses, most of whom are said to have been called to testify regarding alleged violations of the prohibition law, scattered throughout the state and possibly reaching into other states.

DUBLIN CITY HALL RAIDED

DUBLIN, December 6.—Auxiliary police raided the Dublin city hall today and arrested six members of the corporation.

3,808 Auto Victims

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—A total of 3,808 persons in the United States were killed in auto accidents or died from injuries there from during the last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

Churchill May Be India's Viceroy

ALLAHABAD, India.—Winston Spencer Churchill is to be appointed viceroy of India, according to the newspaper Pioneer.

Japs Will Oppose U. S. Demands.

TOKIO.—Japanese cabinet decided to maintain stand against demand of United States for control of cable lines between Shanghai, Guam and Island of Yap.

Lecturer Is Arrested As 'Peeping Tom'

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 6.—Rev. Thomas Boyd Gay, a lecturer, was arrested here last night charged with being a "Peeping Tom." Police say that he admitted peeping into windows on the north side, where residents have complained frequently of prowlers.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN

About the time a feller thinks he's saved a little spendin' money over Sunday, the joy o' the sight o' luxuries the next day soon relieves him o' it. Here's for tomorrow:

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 12; low, 35.

OHIO—Unsettled weather with probably rain and snow Tuesday and in southwest portion tonight. Little change in temperature.

KENTUCKY—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Little change in temperature.

LYRIC

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

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NORMA TALMADGE in "PANTHEA"

Directed by ALAN DWAN

A return engagement of the greatest picture Norma Talmadge ever made

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"EDGAR TAKES THE CAKE"

ELECTRICAL DISPLAY AT WASHINGTON HOTEL

One of the disconcerting effects of the war was the almost total disappearance of the domestic servant. This threw a heavy burden on the housekeepers and they promptly turned to domestic electrical appliances for assistance. Consequently, the demand for these devices, which included irons, grills, toasters, coffee percolators, vacuum cleaners, washing machines, dish washers and ranges has been unusually great. Heretofore, the electrical engineer has been largely engaged in the development and sale of electrical labor saving appliances for the factory, shop and mill for a long time neglected the home and the many economies which may be effected therein by the use of electricity.

Conditions are now different, however, and it is reasonable to assume that the women having gained the vote and other prerogatives that formerly belonged to mere man, will never be contented until the home is as efficiently operated as is the factory.

Realizing these facts and appreciating the interest which has been taken by the people in the use of electrical appliances in the home, the Hughes-Peters, electrical distributors of Columbus, have arranged for an exhibition at the Hotel Washington on Tuesday, December 7th, of what is known as the Better Merchandising Show for the benefit of the electrical dealers of this vicinity.

This show is prepared and exhibited jointly by the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, and the Westinghouse Lamp Company, which companies are conducting extensive campaigns all over the country for the purpose of enabling the electrical dealer to become more familiar with the principles of better merchandising.

A Hotel is selected for the exhibit so as to remove any restriction or fear a dealer might have in visiting the show were it installed on the premises of another dealer, a jobber, or a manufacturer with whom he was a competitor or not well acquainted. Any one who is interested in the electrical business is invited to attend, no admission is charged and nothing is sold at the show. Experts from the Westinghouse Merchandising Bureau, New York City, will be present to demonstrate and explain the methods and ideas that are recommended.

STEP TO PLACE NATION ON A PEACE BASIS

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6—One of the first steps by the Republican majority in the house to place the country on a peace time basis was taken today by Representative Volstead, of Minnesota, chairman of the Judiciary Committee, who introduced a bill repealing all war time statutes, except the trading with the enemy, food control, District of Columbia rent, Liberty Bond and espionage acts.

Mr. Volstead announced that the judiciary committee would begin hearings immediately. Amendment of the bill in committee to exempt the war finance corporation is expected by house leaders.

HOW FAR AWAY

is financial independence for YOU—to what extent do you feel "safe" when the possibilities of future reverses or hard times are suggested?

Independence — freedom from financial worry —is very near for the person who saves regularly. Every pay day makes the saver feel safer, because he adds to his Savings Account on that day.

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Tuesday, 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.
Saturday, 8 A. M. to 12 M.

WEST VIRGINIAN FOUND SHOT TO DEATH

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 6—M. Stevens, of Dunglo, W. Va., 25 miles from here, in the mountains, was found shot to death at Stevens, along the Norfolk and Western railway, according to Mrs. Wade Stevens, an aunt of the dead man, who arrived here at noon.

Stevens, she said, had been shot by an unknown person with a shotgun.

Stevens was out on bail, after a preliminary hearing, in which he faced a charge of shooting M. C. Rumbolt, at Stevens, November 2. Neither the sheriff's office nor military headquarters had been notified of the crime.

Tanks And Wellston Teams May Play Here

There is a possibility of the Wellston football team and the Tanks of Ironton playing in Millbrook next Sunday. The Tanks have been challenged by the Wellston team and it is believed here the challenge will be accepted.

In the event that it is the largest crowd that ever saw a foot ball game in this city is assured.

The matter was broached to Capt. Davies, of Ironton yesterday and he agreed to play. Wellston here according to local rooters who were in Campbellville Sunday.

HOME OF MR. AND MRS. MAURICE BRIGGS IN CLEVELAN D IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Friends in this city will regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Briggs, of Cleveland, recently suffered considerable loss from a fire at their new home. They had only been in their new house two weeks, after having remodeled it, when a fire broke out from a defective flue in the house adjoining. Before the flames were extinguished they had spread to the Briggs house and considerable damage had been done to several rooms and part of the furniture.

While they felt pretty bad over the fire, Mr. and Mrs. Briggs wrote local relatives that they were so thankful that "Billy," their little son, had escaped all harm, that they were not paying much attention to any financial loss.

As a general rule, "Billy" is in bed asleep at the hour the fire broke out, but on that particular evening he was up "with the rest of the family," and although his bed was scorched, he suffered not even any inconvenience from the blaze.

The damage done by the fire is being repaired, and Mr. and Mrs. Briggs say they are hoping their second fixing up will stick better than the first.

Says Houston Has Confessed Impotence In Present Crisis

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—A sub-committee to determine whether the resolution directing revival of the war finance corporation shall be a joint or concurrent one was proposed today by the joint congressional committee holding hearings on the situation. A concurrent resolution would not require approval by President Wilson.

The committee is to report later in the day. It is composed of Senators Norris, of Nebraska, Smith, of South Carolina, and Capper, of Kansas.

Continuing his statement before the committee in favor of reviving the finance corporation, Eugene Meyer, jr., of New York, former head of the corporation, declared today that the testimony of Secretary Houston "constitutes a confession of complete impotence in the present great crisis."

The treasury head told the committee last week that officials of his department had no solution for the problem facing the farmers.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Adjutant W. H. Phillips, of the local branch of the Salvation Army, wishes to let the public know that no person or persons are authorized to solicit funds for the Salvation Army, either by letter of appeal or card from house to house, or with tambourine in the business places. The only way we are soliciting funds at this time is by the use of the two kettles on Chillicothe street.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The Mizpah Class will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Conrad and Miss Emma Stamm, 418 Third street. After the business meeting a social hour and passing party will be enjoyed. A most cordial invitation is extended to all visitors to attend this meeting.

Those taking part in the cantata are asked to meet at the church for practice Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The teachers and officers of the Sunday school will meet after prayer meeting.

The Coffee Social will be held at the home of Mrs. William Licht, on Park avenue, Thursday afternoon.

Choir practice Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The Men's Bible Class will meet Friday evening at the home of Joe Bibiman, 1657 Sixth street.

The children who are to take part in the Christmas entertainment, are asked to meet Wednesday after school to practice.

NEW BOSTON

C. O. Davis of Gallia street, was the dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fitch of Grant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Evans, of Gallia avenue, went to Tannery, Ky., today for a week's visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Evans.

Mrs. H. C. Thomas of Portsmouth spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burcham of Duck Run, who formerly resided here have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shoemaker of Detroit.

Mrs. F. H. Magee of Ohio avenue will entertain the Loyal Workers' class of the Christian church on Friday evening.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening with Mrs. Clinton Ream of Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Haselip have moved from the Fannin property to the Joseph Pitch property on Rhodes avenue, which was recently completed.

Mrs. Caroline McNeal of Fest Avenue and Mrs. Edward Morrison of Rhodes avenue spent Sunday with Mrs. Ollie Branham of the Star Yards.

Miss Doris Moore, instructor of Music in the school was present with her corps of talented singers and rendered several selections, graciously responding to the encores of the appreciative audience.

Rev. O. A. Hughes of the M. E. church was in charge of the devotions after which he delivered a very interesting and inspiring address.

A saxaphone and cornet duet was rendered by Vernon Smith, with piano accompaniment by Miss Irene Harris.

Following the program a social meeting was enjoyed during which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The program committee was composed of Vernon Smith and George Semones. The good of the Order was composed of Henry Ribble, Ewing Walton, William Giles and Pete Grashel.

Mrs. W. L. Marshall's class of the Sunday School will meet Thursday evening with Miss Darline Semones of Ohio Avenue. This class of girls have launched a membership campaign, choosing for their colors white and gold. The captain of the white team is Miss Hazel Davis, while the leader for the gold is Miss Kathleen Noble. Much interest is being taken in this contest.

The reception for the new members of the Jr. O. U. A. M., Saturday was very successful despite the inclement weather.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hanks of Whitby street and Mr. Alex Gladner of Second street will leave next Monday for a motor-trip to Jacksonville, Fla. From there they will travel to various points on the east and west coast, expecting to be gone until the first of May.

Be sure to attend the bazaar at the Second Presbyterian church on Thursday, December 9, beginning at 1:30, before finishing the Christmas shopping. Then stay for supper to be served, beginning at 5:30, for seventy-five cents. The menu will include fresh roast pork, mashed potatoes, baked beans, gravy, slaw, apple-sauce, hot rolls, coffee, brick ice-cream and cake.

Mrs. A. J. Mentor of Third street is home from a few days' visit in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Emmert of Harvard Place entertained at dinner recently, Mr. William Gosten and Miss Stella Graten of Zanesville, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glockner and family and Mrs. Nettie Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glockner of Sixth street were hosts at a dour-dinner recently, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glockner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Glockner and family and Mrs. Nettie Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blum of Seventeenth street, will leave Tuesday for Los Angeles, where they will spend the winter with their sons, Robert and Otto Blum.

Miss Ruth Gilliam, who recently underwent an operation at Hempstead Hospital, was removed to the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Journey, 1714 Eighth street, and is getting along nicely.

Saturday, December 4, was the forty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mrs. T. Frank Brown of Steckdale, who was honored with a surprise when about seventy-five relatives and friends assembled at her home for dinner. When the dinner hour arrived, two long tables were arranged in the dining-room and the delicious menu was served in buffet fashion. Later in the afternoon music by a male chorus and instrumental music by Mrs. John Hickman, Mrs. Charles M. Nicolet and Otis Brown, helped the time pass with much merriment. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of the Brown home were Messrs. and Mesdames Daniel Diener and family, Joe Kirk and family, John Kirk, Scott Brown and family, Homer Mann and family, Frank Nicolet and family, Charles Nicolet and family, Edgar Brown, Toni Brown of Portsmouth, Fred Brown, E. M. Dixon and daughter, Thomas Brown and son; Mesdames Agnes Brown, Roy Wells and son, Harlen Brown and son, Dwight Bennett and son, John Rayder and daughter, T. H. Brown, Lucy Brown, Anna Flaker, Lewis Nicolet, Dan Wilson, Hannah Brown, Mr. and Miss Ada Brown, Miss Jennie Carson and Miss Lillian Malcolm.

After a visit to local friends, Mrs. Samuel Carmichael and Mrs. Ella Potts have returned to their homes in South Webster.

COURT HOUSE

Wife Seeks Divorce and Former Name

Alleging neglect and infidelity Wilma Mae Smith a domestic is seeking a divorce and restoration to her former name of Dare in an action instituted in Common Pleas court Monday against Albert Smith, 828 Gallia street.

In her bill, filed through Attorney Walter L. Dickey, the plaintiff complains that Smith failed to support her at any time since their marriage on Aug. 12, 1918, claiming that he compelled her to live with his parents and declaring that she was not only subjected to abuse by him but by the entire family.

Furthermore the wife charges that Smith repeatedly beat and abused her and on one occasion, she says he knocked her down and kicked her and at another time attacked her on the street, knocking her down with a well directed blow which rendered her unconscious, she claims. She also asserts that the defendant associated with other women and she names one Mabel Campbell.

Narcoo Youths Rounded Up

A bunch of Narcoo youths, seven in all, giving their names as Glen Hinze, 20, Ed. Benson, 18, Louis Cook, 17, Lee Graham, Lowell Smith, 18, Lloyd Ingles, 14, and Ralph Goodman, 13, were taken into custody Monday and brought to the county jail by Sheriff F. E. Rickey and Deputy Harry Dunham on charges of destruction of property in connection with the bombardment with rocks of the Shelton Bros. pool room in the village Sunday night.

It is claimed that the youths became angry when they were ejected from the store of Tom Tackett and after hurling missiles at the Tackett store building, showered the pool room with bricks, several of which demolished windows.

The youths are held pending their hearing before Judge Gilliland in Juvenile court.

Cupid Was Under Your Age

Six more marriage licenses were issued in Scioto county during the month of November, 1919, then during the same period this year when sixty-six licenses were granted as compared to 72 during the same month last year.

Criminal Docket Assigned

The petit jury was notified today to come back for service in Common Pleas court next Monday at one o'clock, when the first of a number of cases on the criminal docket will be tried.

Assignments have been made up to and including Christmas week, when an adjournment will be taken over the holiday season. The calendar follows:

Monday, Dec. 13—State vs. Alphonso Wiley, assault and battery.

Tuesday, Dec. 14—Noah Holt, larceny.

Wednesday, Dec. 15—State vs. Gerald Goodman, rape with consent.

Thursday, Dec. 16—State vs. Louis Hopkins, cutting with intent to kill.

Friday, Dec. 17—Edward "Red" Clifford, cutting with intent to kill.

Monday, Dec. 20, 1 p. m.—State vs. Pauline Adams, second degree murder.

Wednesday, Dec. 22—Joshua Boone and Joseph Boone, non-support of aged parent.

Agrees to Pay Alimony

By agreement, Oscar Montad of the Montad Engineering company, will pay his wife, Agnes Montad, the sum of $25 a week in addition to paying rent upon the flat in which she lives, pending the hearing of her suit for divorce and alimony, according to an entry filed in the office of the clerk of courts Monday.

Ordered to Pay Alimony

Amos Skaggs has been ordered by Judge Thomas to pay his wife, Kansas Skaggs, the sum of $10 a week as temporary alimony pending the final hearing of her suit for divorce and alimony recently filed in Common Pleas court.

Marriage License

Dewey Campbell, 22, N. & W. brakeman, Wheelersburg, and Minnie Williams, 20, housekeeper, Lyra. Rev. William Lawhorn.

Eddy Brown

Exclusive Columbia Artist

appearing at

High School Auditorium

December 7th

Hear Eddy Brown At His Concert Be sure to attend this recital and note the indiyidual qualities of his playing which have pleased so many people.

Tickets For Single Concert $1.00

But buy a ticket for the complete series of concerts—this one by Eddy Brown, one by Margaret Romaine, one by Barbara Maurel —they are all exclusive Columbia Artists.

Tickets For The Entire Series $2.50

Tickets On Sale At Your Columbia Dealers.

THE DISTEL FURNITURE CO. THE LEWIS FURNITURE CO.
THE SAM'L HORCHOW CO. STEINKAMP FURNITURE CO.

Any High School Student Can Supply You

Tuesday 8:15

Children need Iron

To Fortify their Systems against Colds, Grip and Influenza.

Give them

Grove's IRON TONIC SYRUP

which is an Iron Tonic in the form of a palatable syrup The Syrup is flavored and Children love to take it. It is better suited to Children than Iron Pills or Iron Tablets. The Iron in GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP is digested as soon as it is swallowed and, therefore, is promptly assimilated.

"Does not disorder the bowels."

When the cold, damp weather chills the blood, try taking GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP and see how Warm and Comfortable you feel when other folks around you are complaining of feeling chilly. This will prove to you the value of GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP as a general strengthening tonic.

It Improves the Appetite, Brings Color to the Cheeks and Restores Vitality and Energy by Purifying the Blood and making it Rich. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. It is acceptable to the most delicate stomach. Suited to the Child, the Mother and the Grandmother.

Healthy Blood and a Healthy System is a Child's best protection against Colds, Grip and Influenza.

E. W. Grove

Signature on package.

CLEN DE BRUIN DR AWS LARGE CROWD

The usual large crowd of music-lovers and friends made their annual pilgrimage to the First Presbyterian church last evening to hear Mr. Clen De Bruin sing once more, and they were not disappointed. Galloway's "Just Be Glad" was admirably rendered, and in his own inimitable way he sang "That Sweet Story" as only a man with a big heart can present a simple theme. "Fear Ye Not, O Israel," by Spicker, with Miss Myrtle Ziegler as contralto soloist, and Mrs. O. J. Deitzler's soprano solo, "O Lord, Most Holy," by Flager, added to the enjoyment of the evening's program.

Indicted In Building Trust Probe

NEW YORK, December 6.—William H. Chapman, business agent for the Plumbers' Union, is the latest to be indicted in connection with the investigation of New York's "building trust" this became known today when he was arrested on a charge of extorting $2,000 for Joseph Goldblatt, a contractor.

Classic Opened Restaurant Sunday; Investigation On

There were no violations of the Sunday closing order yesterday, according to the police, unless it is decided that the proprietors of The Classic, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, tilted the lid by opening up their place of business as a public eating place.

City Officials say whether the Classic violated the order is a question of law, and they will govern themselves accordingly.

Management of The Classic stated to the Times this morning that only the restaurant department of their business was open yesterday and declared they were wholly within their rights as they have applied to the state and received a license to conduct a restaurant. It was stated that only sandwiches and short orders were served at the place together with hot drinks, coffee and chocolate.

BUILDING PERMIT FOR NEW HOSPITAL

A permit for the building of Mercy Hospital on Kinney Lane, at a cost of $30,000, has been issued by the city service department.

Sues For A Divorce

The Cincinnati Enquirer of local interest Sunday said:

Infidelity is charged by Joseph Bechtold, in his suit for a divorce from Nellie D. Bechtold, Portsmouth, Ohio. He denies paternity of her child. Minerva Clark says Clyde Clark, Asbury, Miss., tore up their marriage license, telling her he did not want to see it and he was sorry he married her. She seeks a divorce and her maiden name, Schlosshan.

BIRTHS

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams, of New Boston. Mr. Williams is a brick worker.

Care Common Sense Needed.

Before our children draw their first breath we start stuffing in upon them with every kind of theory? Theories to the right of them, theories to the left of them, they are often victimized really as were the immortal Six Hundred to the fact that "Someone has blundered." In taking our children conscientiously, why must we let our idea of duty ride roughshod over common sense?—Atlantic Monthly.

DOLLS

With kid bodies, movable eyes, curls and bisque heads.
$2.50 to $12.00

Unbreakable dolls of every description
25c, 50c, $1.00, $1.50

Unbreakable dolls with moving eyes, real hair wigs
$3.75 to $12.00

Walking dolls with unbreakable heads and hair wigs.
$5.00 to $12.00

Jointed dolls with bisque heads, special at
$3.95

Jointed dolls with real hair, movable eyes
$5.00–$6.00

TEDDY BEARS

All sizes
85c to $2.00

Bears on wheels, all sizes
$3.75 to $12.00

Horses on platform and wheels
$2.50 to $5.00

Moving picture machines
$5.00, $7.50, $10.00 $20.00

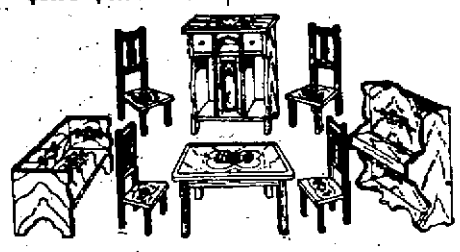
Mirroscopes
$12.50 and $15.00

Drums
25c to $6.00

Rubber tired kiddie car
$3.00 to $4.25

Scuttler cars, rubber tired
$7.00

Hand cars, rubber tired
$6.50



Washable dolls, made of Turkish ratine
$1.25

Doll bath tubs
$1.75–$3.00

Doll's white enameled swings
$1.75

Doll's clothes racks
$1.00

Doll Walkers
$1.00

Doll swings and hammocks
$2.00 to $3.00

Doll trunks, 2 qualities, 3 sizes.
$1.40 to $4.00

Doll beds of metal and wood, metal brass and white enamel, wood, natural oak, white enamel and mahogany.
$1.00 to $9.50

Roller Skates
$2.50

Ice skates for girls and boys
$2.00–$2.25

The genuine kiddie kar, 4 sizes
1.50, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50

Kiddie Horses
98c to $2.25

Hobby Horses
$10.00 to $15.00

Writing desks in different styles and sizes from
$2.50 and up

Desk chairs
$1.00, $1.65, $2.00

Children's dressers, china closets, chifforobe, etc.
$2.00 to $12.50

Spelling boards, 4 sizes
75c, $1.00, $1.50

Sunny Monday washing outfits
$1.00, $2.50, $3.00

Little Darling zinc washing board
25c

Toy Iron, nickle plated.
25c, 50c

Aeroplanes, all sizes, a toy every boy will want as a Christmas gift, priced from
50c to $6.50

WHAT A BUSY PLACE TOYLAND IS THESE DAYS

It will be indeed a joyful trip for you, when you see the bright eyes and cheery smiling countenances of kiddies as they approach the Toy Section.

Toys, oh, so many make our showing this year a larger and more varied assortment than has ever before been presented in this vicinity. They are toys for children of every age from one year old up. Skates, sleds, dish sets, ironing sets, washing sets, trains, drums, engines, mechanical toys, stuffed animals, picture books and dolls, just lots of them to please the little make-believe mother. The children will be delighted with Toyland, and you'll also be pleased to discover how abundantly we have provided these things to make every boy and girl joyous on Christmas morn.

Chemcraft Sets

Different sizes, priced from $1.50 to $10.00.

Mechanical Trains

Cars and tracks, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 $3.25, $5.00, $6.00.

Electric Trains

$7.00 to $37.50 set, extra track, semaphores, tunnels, bridges, transformers, etc., all prices.

Children's Pianos

2 sizes, $1.00, $2.00.

Children's Tea Sets

Of tin, brightly painted, 50c, 75c.

Aluminum Tea Sets

$1.25, $1.75, $2.50.

Children's china tea sets $2.50 to $7.50.

Kitchen Cabinets

2 sizes, $2.50, $3.75.

Rocking Horse

Or Shoo Fly, $1.75, $10.00.

Rocking Chairs

$5c to $4.00.

Wall Black Boards

75c to $1.50.

Desk Black Boards

$3.00 to $4.50.

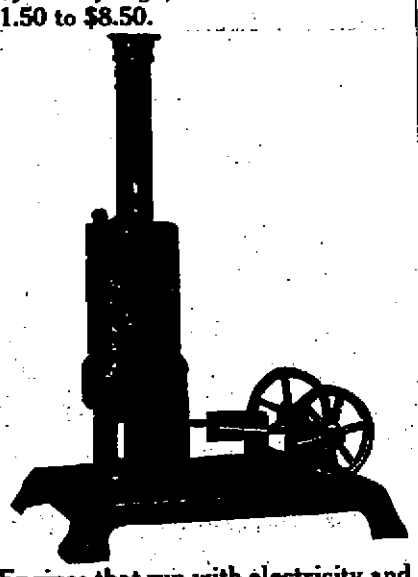
Teeter Totter $10.00

Moving Picture Films

9 feet length 25c box.

100 feet length $1.50 box.

***Meccano*, the educational toy for the boy of any age; all sizes. Priced $1.50 to $8.50.**



Engines that run with electricity and denatured alcohol. Denatured styles range in prices from $2.00 to $15.00, electric style $8.50.

Macting's

Children's Table And Chair Sets

Priced at $3.00, $4.00

Chairs $1.00, $1.50, $2.00

Complete sets of mahogany, oak finish and white enamel finish, priced at $15.00 set.

Velocipedes

In different sizes, priced from $10.00 to $16.50.

Children's Automobiles

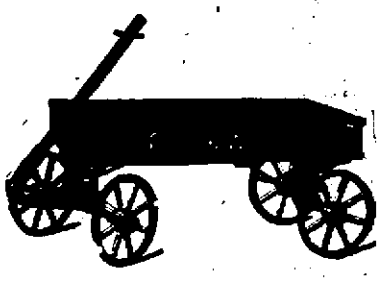
Many different styles and sizes, $8.00 to $22.50.

Steering Sleds

Well made, priced at $2.00, $2.50 $3.50.

Friction Toys

Such as engines, traction cars, automobiles, trolley cars, etc., $1.00, $2.00.

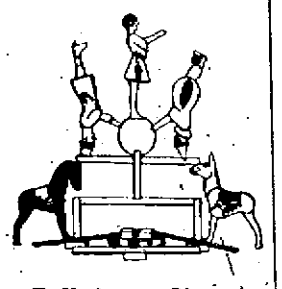


COASTER WAGONS

In four different styles, well made of number one hard wood, 4 sizes, known as the farm wagons. Priced from $5.00 to $12.50.

Wooden Toys

Of practically every description, priced from 65c and up.



Pull Apart Circus

An ideal toy, completely made of wood. Priced from $1.75 to $4.50.

Humpty Dumpty Circus

Another toy that will give joy to the tiny tots, $1.25, $6.00.

Wooden Alphabet Blocks

All prices. Nests of blocks, different sizes and prices.

SHIP AHOY, MATES!

Here are the fastest ocean liners, all ready to carry everybody off to Europe, or to the South Seas, if you prefer. Trimly built of steel, patterned and equipped after real ships and mechanically operated. Priced from $1.50 to $7.50.

DOLLS' HOSPITAL

Let our doll's hospital be of service to you in repairing your doll, wigs, hands, eyes, heads, etc., can be found here.

Games

Games of tops, pit, rook, my mother sent me to the grocery store, Venetian fortune teller, Miss Casey wants to know, Peter Coddles trip to New York, jack straws, who, komical konversation kards, United States history, famous authors, rummy, Boy Scouts, camouflage, The New Testament, The Old Testament, young people Bible game, checkers, chess, bean bag, ring the pin, crazy travelers, poppin ball, choo choo blocks, the little soldier, Mother Hubbard, toy city, what's the time, birthday game, roly poly, multicolor ten pins, dodging donkey, United States puzzle map, sambo, complete tiddledy winks and many others not mentioned here. Priced from 25c and up.

TOY ORNAMENTS

In a most wonderful assortment, in both American and foreign makes. Priced 5c to 25c.

BOOKS

Billy Whiskers series, $1 each.

Little Purdy series, 50c each, set of 6, $2.55.

Linen books for the tiny tots priced from 25c to $1.00.

Many other lines of books for the younger children not mentioned here, in a wide range of prices.

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.

Organist Resigns

Joseph Kershaw, organist at All Saints' Episcopal church, resigned his position Sunday morning, following some differences of opinion as to the scope of his work. It was found impossible to secure another organist for the morning service, the rector, Rev. E. Ainger Powell, explaining the situation. At the evening service Mrs. J. Frost Davis presided at the piano.

BOY TUMBLES OUT OF BED; ARM BROKEN

Robert Warnock, six year old son of J. W. Warnock, of 2060 Gallia street, East Portsmouth, fell from a bed Sunday and suffered a broken left elbow. The child was playing on the bed when he fell to the floor. Dr. Oscar R. Mickelthwait reduced the fracture. An x-ray of the elbow was taken at Fowler's laboratory Sunday.

PLAYS VOLLEY BALL; WRIST BROKEN

Dave Mitchell, who suffered a broken right wrist several days ago while playing volley ball, is getting along nicely. An x-ray of the wrist was taken at Fowler's laboratory.

Next Tuesday

The weekly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday noon at 11:30 o'clock at the Elks' club.

RHEUMATISM

Let the prescription records of the Rheumatism Rub be in. Rub it down on your door. Get the Rub. Bottle from your druggist.

JAY'S 3X

B. And L. League To Hold Meeting In Ironton

IRONTON, Dec. 6—The Ohio Building Association League will hold their annual session in Ironton, Wednesday December 8th at the Hotel Marting.

The Fifth District of the Association of which Lawrence County is a part covers membership in fourteen counties of the state and representatives from the different building and loan associations throughout the district will attend the meeting.

Mr. A. J. Stoddard of Dayton, O., president of the Ohio State League of B. & L. Associations of Ohio and Mr. James Devine of Columbus, secretary, are to be present at the convention.

Portsmouth, Chillicothe, Jackson and Gallipolis are among the cities who will send delegates.

The Ironton Building and Loan companies will entertain the visitors with a 6 o'clock banquet at The Marting.

BABY FOUND DEAD

Velda Imogene, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duncan, of South Portsmouth, was found dead in bed about three o'clock Monday morning.

It had not been ill Sunday and appeared as lively as usual. About three o'clock the mother awakened and felt the baby's head and found it cold. Further examination showed it to be dead. A physician was called and he found that the child had died from natural causes.

The baby would have been three months old the 14th of this month. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan have a son, Junior Duncan. Mr. Duncan is a well known steel worker.

The funeral will be held Tuesday with burial at Quincy, Ky.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. These little olive-colored tablets are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel.

The pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel. Let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "logy" and "heavy." They "clear" clouded brains and "perk up" the spirits. 15c and 30c.

TWO CARS STOLEN

The police here Monday were instructed to keep a lookout for a seven passenger Chandler machine, which was stolen in Cincinnati several days ago and a gray Stutz roadster, which was recently stolen in Grand Rapids, Mich.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river is falling here and the gauge at 7 o'clock this morning showed a stage of 15.8.

The Chilo is due down tonight for Cincinnati. The Greenwood, General Wood and Chris Greene passed down Sunday for Cincinnati.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson and son Billy are ill with influenza at their home on Court street.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take

Grove's Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets

Be sure its Bromo

E. W. Grove

The genuine bears this signature 30c.

Is Improving

William Ossmyer, carpenter of 1033 Twentieth street, who fell at Minford some months ago and broke both heels is slowly improving. He is able to walk some with the aid of a cane.

Portsmouth Should Worry

(Irontonian)

Portsmouth must be given credit for not attempting an alibi after the memorable defeat recently but it is seeking to leave the impression that somebody was short-changed in the gate receipts. But since they did not share in them, Portsmouth should worry.

New Home Completed

Mr. Jordan Home

Alan N. Jordan has returned from a trip to Columbus in the interest of the proposed Portsmouth-Sandusky canal route.

Visited City

F. H. Gettles of Wellston was a visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

Meet Wednesday

The Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks will meet in regular session Wednesday night and will pass upon a big list of applications.

WHEEL STOLEN

Martin Hahn, who lives at Fifteenth and Chillicothe streets notified the police Sunday that his Ivor Johnson bicycle was stolen.

Small Bone Broken

Elizabeth Verzler of the West Side dropped an iron on her left foot last July. The foot did not give her any trouble until the last few days and Saturday she came to Portsmouth to consult a physician. An X-ray showed a small bone in the foot broken.

MINERS TO FIGHT TO FINISH

INDIANAPOLIS — United Mine Workers plan to carry thorough strike with coal operators in West Virginia and Alabama "to a finish" it was announced.

EDWARDS HEADS CENTRE TEAM

CLEVELAND — W. W. Edwards, centre on Case football team, elected captain for 1921.

CLEAN UP SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD—Series of holdups, safe cracking and other crime resulted in order from Chief of Police that all suspicious characters be rounded up.

SLAIN BY UNKNOWN MEN

DAYTON—Ben Gay, 45, farmer, shot and killed at door of his home with his 14 year old son looking on by two men who fled in an automobile.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

CLEVELAND—J. P. MacBeth, retired business man found dead in down town hotel.

MISS DOLLY WISE

Dear Miss Wise—Would you please tell me how long it takes a letter to go from here to Des Moines, Iowa.

TIRED READER.

It probably would not be delivered for three days from the time it left here, it all depends on the train schedule. It only takes a little over three hours to come here from Columbus but I got a letter the other day that was three days making the trip. Did you post it.

Dear Miss Wise—Please publish in your daily column a good recipe for peanut candy. MISS X.

Sea Foam Candy—1 1-2 cups light brown sugar; 1-2 cup cold water; 1 teaspoon of vinegar; the white of one egg; 1-2 cup chopped nut meats. Boil the sugar, water and vinegar until it forms a ball when dropped in cold water. Have the white of a egg beaten to a stiff froth. Pour the syrup into it very slowly beating it constantly. When it begins to cream, add the nuts with a drop or two of vanilla. When hardened, drop on buttered tins or parafine paper, or cut into buttered squares. If it gets stiff, but will not harden, put into a double boiler and heat constantly. Let the seafoam candy stay on the fire until the parts sticking on the edge of the pan begin to look creamy.

Dear Dolly—I am a young girl just 18 years old and am going with a young man twenty-two. I have been going with him steady for 3 months. I want to get him a nice present for Xmas, something that he will appreciate highly. Now Dolly, please name a few presents that you think would be nice to give him. BLUE EYES.

If you will read the advertisements that appear in the Times each night you will find all kinds of suggestions in the way of presents for every member of the family. I can't decide what to give him when I do not know his likes or dislikes.

Dear Miss Wise—I made a bet with a married man who works in the same office I do and I won the bet which was a lovely box of candy. He gave it to me, but I have been wondering ever since if I should have accepted it. Did I do right or not? WORRIED GIRL.

Since it was a bet it was all right to accept the candy.

Dear Dolly—I am a widow and in love with a man I met last summer while on a vacation. My husband was ill a long time and I was so tired and worn out and the man was so nice to me that he won my heart the first night I was out with him. Dolly the moon was so bright and everything so quiet and lovely and I so happy. The moon would make anybody fall in love. Dolly he asked me to marry him, but he is about 20 years older than I. Do you think I would make a mistake in marrying him. I have never seen him since but we correspond regularly. What would you advise me to do?

YOUNG WIDOW.

Do not do anything hastily. Tell the man you would like to have time to become better acquainted. After you have corresponded for awhile and seen each other a few more times you will know better if your love is real or merely an infatuation caused by a too-bright moon.

Dear Dolly—If there is a childless family in the city or vicinity who would like to adopt a sweet little black-eyed baby girl, aged three, will they please phone 2456-J.

A READER.

SOCIETY

The Young People's Missionary Society of Bigelow church will be entertained this evening at the home of Miss Ruth Fleck, 1621 Ninth street. The assistant hostesses will include Mrs. W. T. Gray, Mrs. Terry Davenport, Misses Mary Margaret Fuller, Harriet Marquette and Sadie Maule.

Miss Ruth Klingman will be hostess of the meeting of the K. K. K. Club this evening at her home on Fourth street.

Mrs. Mary S. Cotton will receive the Portsmouth Reading Club this evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schwartz, 712 Sixth street.

The Whatsoever Guild of All Saints' church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Clarence Rauch, on Eleventh street.

On Tuesday afternoon, the Dalton Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. H. E. Taylor, Second street.

The Bigelow W. H. M. S. will have a meeting Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. G. Wilkinson, 1411 Seventeenth street.

Mrs. J. T. Breece's Sunday school class of Trinity church will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Cook, 1912 High street, with Mrs. Edgar Cook and Mrs. Clyde Shultz assisting. All members are asked to bring handkerchiefs for the Christmas shower.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church will meet Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. V. Raison, 1831 Grant street.

For Tuesday evening, the Epworth League of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church have arranged a "Tacky Party" to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Marting, 2001 Waller street, Sunnyside.

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold the regular meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30, when Mrs. Leah Smith of the R. C. King Chapter of Columbus will be present to install the officers for the coming year.

The W. F. M. S. of Trinity church will meet Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Theo. Bauer, 1619 Grandview avenue. The assistants will be Mrs. C. O. Coverston, Mrs. Oscar Shoemaker and Mrs. Kate Loft. Miss Cora Cadot will lead the devotionals.

The St. Hilda's Guild of All Saints' church will meet Wednesday afternoon, at two o'clock, at the home of Mrs. P. L. Hummel, of 1215 Lincoln street.

The Minerva Kensington Club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Banfield, 1516 Robinson avenue.

Mr. Charles S. Murray of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the week-end with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Murray, of Baird avenue.

After a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Manning of Seventeenth street, the latter's mother, Mrs. David M. Betts, has returned to her home in Roneoverte, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Oakes of Eighth street are visiting in Peebles with their daughter, Mrs. E. R. Wright.

Miss Virginia Alger of Park avenue has taken a position in Charles Schuder's insurance office.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flowers, who were recently married, have gone to housekeeping at 627 Front street.

Mrs. H. H. Stallard of Franklin avenue is visiting with relatives in Pikeville, Ky.

Mrs. Addison P. Minshall and daughter Julia have returned to their home in Chillicothe after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Doty of Franklin avenue.

Mrs. Caroline Sterl of Ashland, Ky., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Craft, of Franklin avenue, and other local relatives.

Meet me at Nye's fountain. 11

Your Manners

It Is Correct

To rehearse an elaborate wedding.

For a bride-to-be to call a rehearsal on the day and hour that is convenient for the majority of her attendants.

For the mother of a bride-to-be to entertain the bridal party after a rehearsal if it is convenient for her to do so.

To hold an elaborate church wedding at high noon or in the afternoon.

To hold afternoon wedding between the hours of three and six o'clock.

It Is Not Correct

To have an elaborate wedding when there is mourning or illness in either family.

Except in large cities to have an awning at the church door for a wedding unless the weather is bad.

For guests at a church wedding to take a seat in one of the front pews unless shown there by an usher.

For a bride to arrive at the church door after the hour given in the invitations.

For the bridesmaids to be late in arriving at the bride's home before the ceremony.

Mrs. J. W. Ricker and family of Fifth street have as guests Mrs. John Carpenter of Williamson, W. Va., and sister, Miss Mary V. Moore, of Houston, who is returning from a year's visit in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Bauer of Grandview avenue, Mrs. Kate Loft and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. Ralph Loft and son, Lawrence, of Highland avenue, spent Sunday at Stockdale, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nicodemus.

Mrs. Jessie M. Bolles and son, William M. Bolles, of Massillon, are here for an extended visit.

Mrs. Effie Walker, Mrs. J. M. Graham, Mrs. Terry Davenport, Mrs. Hattie Brown, Mrs. Charles Cole and Mrs. Addie Mohl attended the pageant, "Queen Esther's Choice," given by the Junior Missionary Society of Bigelow in the Scioto ville M. E. church last evening.

Miss Sadie Shively is ill at her home on Second street.

Mrs. Richard McKinney and baby will leave this week to visit home folks in Jamestown, N. Y.

Mrs. J. C. Bauer of Fourth street will return home Wednesday from a visit in Akron with Mr. and Mrs. John L. Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMullen and son, Billy, of Warren, have come for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McMullen at South Portsmouth.

From Cleveland, Ohio: Nothing so pleases us as does Golden Dream. It's our favorite coffee. 24-tf

Played With Wellston

Right End Burris of the Smoke House team here, played with Wellston yesterday against Ironton and put up his usual clever game.

Back On Job

Russell Haley, who was recently married in this city, has returned from his honeymoon and is back on the job again at the Smoke House.

Eddie Brown, the great violinist who appears here soon, uses and endorses the great Baldwin Piano. It is America's finest instrument. Sold only by Baldwin's, 822 Chillicothe St. 6tf

Open Probe On Preferential Railroad Rates

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Investigation into the advisability of permitting railroads to grant preferential rates on commodities carried to ports for shipment in American vessels, was begun today by the Shipping Board.

Hearings beginning today will be conducted by the full board recently named by President Wilson under the joint act and representatives of steamship lines. Shippers and railroads will discuss the situation.

Last summer the Interstate Commerce Commission suspended until January 1, the operation of the preferential rail rate section of the Jones-act upon recommendation of the Shipping Board in order that a survey could be made of the American shipping in the ports of the country. According to officials of the board, the survey showed sufficient shipping available in a number of ports and chairman Benson has announced that the board will probably recommend immediately that the Interstate Commerce Commission make the preferential rate section effective.

Advocates of the preferential rail rates are necessary if the American merchant marine is to compete on the same footing with foreign shippers.

The whole family will be delighted with a piano or player from Baldwin's, 822 Chillicothe St.

Golden Dream Coffee now enjoyed by millions of consumers throughout the United States. 24 tf

Way of the Practical Man.

The practical man—an especial favorite in this age—often takes the field with the single fact against a great principle. In the reckless spirit of one who would not hesitate to sever the thread on which he is unable to string his own individual pearl—perhaps a false one—even though he should scatter many jewels worthy of a prince's diadem.—Sir Arthur Helps.

INDIGESTION GOES, GONE!

"Pape's Diapepsin" at once fixes Your Sour, Gassy, Acid Stomach.

Stomach acidity causes indigestion! Food souring, gas, distress! Wonder what upset your stomach? Well, don't bother. The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapepsin all the lumps of indigestion pain, the nauseous heartburn and belching of gases due to acidity, vanish—truly wonderful!

Millions of people know that it is needless to be bothered with indigestion, dyspepsia or a disordered stomach. A few tablets of Pape's Diapepsin neutralize acidity and give relief at once—no waiting! Don't stay miserable! Try to regulate your stomach so you can eat favorite foods without causing distress. The cost is so little. The benefits so great.

Plans Duty On Wheat And Flour Imports To U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Bills providing a duty on wheat and flour imports and regulating grain exchanges have been framed by Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, who expected to introduce both measures today, in addition to his resolution authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the activity of foreign governments in the American grain markets.

Duties of thirty cents per bushel on wheat, $1.35 per barrel on flour and thirty percent ad valorem on semolina and other wheat products are provided in one of Mr. Steenerson's bills. One of the causes of the slump of wheat prices, he declared today, was the dumping on United States markets of millions of bushels of wheat and several million barrels of flour from Canada, free of duty.

The measure designed to regulate grain exchanges, provides that organizations operating them shall admit groups of farmers' organizations on the co-operative principle on equal footing with other members and under like conditions.

Good Furniture Polish.

Mix equal parts of boil'd linseed oil, turpentine and vinegar in a bottle. Shake well each time before using. Apply with a woolen cloth, then polish with a dry cloth. This makes all marks and scratches disappear and furniture look like new. It is very inexpensive and is better than the best furniture polish on the market.

BILLY WHISKERS

By Frances Trego Montgomery

This is what Mr. Treat promised the boys when they brought the good news about the auto.

"Now boys, the city says that the marshals will probably arrive tomorrow afternoon. I think we'll have to make it a holiday, so you will be on hand when it comes."

"Now, father," remonstrated Mrs. Treat quickly, "that is unwise. They'd much better be in school."

"Tut, tut, mother! Boys must have some good times, I think."

"Oh, father, do let us!" petitioned the boys and a cheery nod satisfied them that the victory was theirs.

Very little indeed was accomplished by the Treat boys the next morning, and kind Miss Clinton, their teacher, was at loss for an explanation of the wriggling, twisting and manifest uneasiness possessing them.

Tom was detected in the act of attempting to communicate with Harry, the note was confiscated by Miss Clinton and Tom himself straightway sent to the platform where he whiled away the dreary, lagging moments by driving an imaginary automobile over the hills at a terrific speed, much to the envy of his schoolmates.

"I'll ask everyone of 'em to ride, except Miss Clinton," he pondered, planning revenge for his present predicament. "And then I guess she'll wish she hadn't punished me."

Noon came at last, as all noons do, and the note was presented to Miss Clinton by little Dick, though by this time it was very much the worse for frequent fingering. The little fellow had not been able to keep his hands off the precious thing for longer than five minutes at a time. First he had to make sure it was really in his pocket. Then again he took just one peep inside to reassure himself that it asked that he and his brothers be excused from the afternoon session. Each time he took it out, he patted it lovingly, and therefore it bore many a print of chubby and very smudgy finger tips.

Miss Clinton's consent was readily given, for rules in the country districts are not so iron-clad as in the more crowded city schools, and away hastened the boys for the noonday meal at home.

It proved to be a rather tempestuous one, and Mrs. Treat was glad indeed when chairs were pushed back from the board and the restive group betook themselves to the wide, shady veranda. It commanded a splendid view of the road toward Springfield, for it mounted a gradual ascent of a mile or more before it scurried over and down again in its eagerness to reach the city.

"I wonder what Billy will do when he sees the machine," piped up little Dick, as they settled themselves in hammock and in spacious, comfortable porch chairs.

(They did not have to wait long to see what Billy would do.)

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Her Own Career

BY PHYLLIS PHILLIPS

TWO LETTERS

Late that same night Gwenda went out and mailed two letters. One was to her father, a very long one, telling him every detail of her life in the big city, and explaining to him her reasons for staying over.

"And it is only you, father, dear, who will fully understand my ideas and urges. It is you who have realized just how starved I have been in Millersville in every way. For you, too, have been starved. That is our, yours and mine, heartache. Our mutual tragedy! Mother has never understood you any more than she has me! But I know in my heart that you will be behind me in my desire to carve a career for myself, whether it be here or many miles away from here, and who will follow that career with love and understanding. How I wish you were to be with me, as I go along, dear dad.

"You must explain in some way to mother just how I feel about my own life and future. Don't tell her about my joining the theater, if it will hurt her too much, or cause you to have to suffer through her denouncement of me. But tell her that I have found work here, in New York, and am going to stay on, indefinitely.

You also know, dad, that I never could find any happiness in the sort of life that mother would like me to come back to in Millersville. I do not care for the people and I certainly would never marry and settle down with any Millersville's youth. I should only succeed in making him, as well as myself, miserable—for I should hate, hate it, all right from the start.

"I am not the domestic sort of girl at all. Neither am I the type that can select a mate at twenty—and be perfectly sure that the man I choose is the right one for me. I fear my own heart, mind and judgment too much, dad, for that. Plainly speaking, I have no desire to settle down to anyone anywhere as yet. Nor the least intention of coming back, as mother wishes me to do, to devote the rest of my natural life to turning out butter and cheese for any man in my part of the country, nor in fact anywhere else! And, between you and me, I hate all housework. Dust does not bother me in the least. And for all mother's training I can be perfectly happy in a littered-up room, and doing nothing for an hour or so at a time!

"You will understand, then, dear, that this is a complete rebellion. You will laugh a little, and maybe cry a wee bit. But through it all you will understand and still love your very own daughter. And grandmere, dear, dream-lady, would kiss me now, if she could know, and somehow or other, dad, I feel pretty sure that she is very near and does know, everything! Good-night, from your lonesome Gwenda."

The other letter was a short one to Fedya Stepanova, which ran thusly:

"I am so sorry, Feyda, that you have been called away. But remember that Gwendutschka is ready and waiting for you to call her to your side again. I know that you will do something fine with your pictures. Your friend, Gwendutschka."

(To be continued.)

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WHAT IS A CHRISTMAS CLUB?

In that the Security Bank is offering the people of this community every man, woman and child, an opportunity to join their new Christmas Club, perhaps a word of explanation of just what a Christmas Club is will be welcomed by our readers.

The Christmas Club is a plan for accumulating money. Anyone desiring to become a member of this club merely needs to go to the Security Bank, where he will be given free of charge, an attractive little Christmas Club bank book. This book explains the several plans from which the one desiring to become a member, can choose.

You can start in this club for 10 cts. and increase your deposit 10 cts. each week for a period of fifty weeks. The largest deposit at the end of fifty weeks will be only $5.00 yet the amount which will be paid you at Christmas time is $127.50. The first deposit is 10 cts., the second 20 cts., the third 30 cts., and so on, increasing your deposit 10 cts. each week.

Any time during the present month, the club is open for membership, the last payment to be made during the week beginning Nov. 26th next. Short'y thereafter, you will have, if you keep up all your payments, $127.50 at your command for Christmas needs.

You can start with 5 cts. and increase your deposit 5 cts. each week for a period of fifty weeks and for Christmas next year, you will have $63.75. You can also start with 2 cts. and have in fifty weeks, $25.50.

Every member of your family can be put into a club; even the baby can start a bank account with 1 ct. and increase his little deposits 1 ct. each week for fifty weeks, his greatest deposit being only 50 cts., and have next December $12.75.

The Security Bank also has what they call an even amount club plan, whereby you can put in either 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00, $2.00, $5.00, $10.00, $20.00 or more each week. The 25 cts. club next December pays $12.50, the 50cts. club pays $25.00, the $1.00 club pays 50.00 and the $2.00 club pays $100.

All the above mentioned clubs are within the reach of nearly every person within the community. There is also a club for wage earners, who can deposit $5.00 to $10.00 a week for fifty weeks and have at the end of that time $250.00 or $500.00.

Business men may also utilize the Christmas Club idea as a method for paying themselves weekly dividends. There is no limit to the weekly amount a business man may deposit—$10.00, $20.00, $50.00, $100.00 a week or more.

At the end of fifty weeks, in the $10.00 club, a business man can accumulate $500.00. In a $20.00 club at the end of fifty weeks he can accumulate $1,000.00. The $50.00 a week club pays $2,500.00 and the $100.00 club pays $5,000.00.

The Christmas Club plan is designed for two classes of people. Those who desire to have money for their Christmas needs and also for those who desire to use the Christmas Club plan as a method for starting a regular bank account.

The Security Bank is to be congratulated for offering every man, woman and child in our community, an opportunity to have money for the Christmas needs or to start a little fortune.—adv.

TIMES SERVICE PATTERN

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A YOUTHFUL GOWN FOR A SLENDER FIGURE

Pattern 3397 is shown in this illustration. It is cut in 3 Sizes: 16, 18 and 20 years. A 16 year size will require 5¼ yards of 40 inch material. Bordered serge, and other woolens, plaid and check suiting, velveteen, taffeta, tricotine and satoline are attractive for this style. The width of the skirt at lower edge is 1¾ yard.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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City ..... State .....

Name .....

Street and No. .....

Croup Proves Fatal!

Thousands of little lives are needlessly cut off by croup. You never know when croup will attack. Prevent it by using GLESSCO. Dr. Drake's famous formula for croup, tested, has brought quick relief to countless cases of croup in children. One dose brings relief. Have a bottle of GLESSCO close at hand. Fine for treatment of ordinary colds, too. Nearly a million bottles used yearly. Sold by all druggists on money-back guarantee. Price 30 cents.

The Glessco Company, Findlay, Ohio

DR. DRAKE'S GLESSCO

STOP!

Release for Women who Suffer

The multitude of American women who suffer terribly day after day and year after year from ills peculiar to their sex is almost beyond belief—yet there is hardly a town or hamlet in the United States wherein some woman, and often many, do not reside who have been restored to health from some of the worst forms of female ills, and often avoided operations by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

These Two Women Tell of Their Experience.

Carrollton, Ky.—"I suffered almost two years with female weakness. I could not walk any distance, ride or take any exercise at all without resting. If I swept the floor or did any kind of work it would bring my sickness on. I was weak and languid, had no energy, and life was a misery to me. I was under the care of a good physician for several months and tried other remedies. I had read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and decided to try it. After taking twelve bottles I found myself much improved and I took six more. I have never had any more trouble in that respect since. I have done all kinds of work and at present am an attendant at a State Hospital and am feeling fine. I shall always recommend your Vegetable Compound."—LILLIAN TWARE, 824 South 6th Street, Carrollton, Ky.

Onalaska, Wis.—"Every month I had such pains in my back and lower part of stomach I could not lie in bed. I suffered so it seemed as though I would die, and I was not regular either. I suffered for a year and was unfit to do my housework, could only wash dishes once in a while. I read an advertisement of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other women and decided to try it. It surely did wonders for me. I have no pains now and can do my own housework without any trouble at all. I will always praise your medicine as I do not believe there is a doctor that can do as much good for female weakness as can Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. LESTER E. WARNER, R. 1, Box 69, Onalaska, Wis.

Thousands of Such Letters Prove the Curative Value of

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., LYNN, MASS.

Hero Of Verdun To Get Distinguished Service Medal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—General Robert Georges Nivelle, former director in chief of the French armies and hero of Verdun, will be decorated with the Distinguished Service medal today by Secretary Baker at Fort Myer.

After receiving the medal awarded him at the direction of the President, the French officer will present a number of decorations awarded by his government to officers of the American army and navy.

Following the ceremonies at Fort Myer, General Nivelle will deliver an address at the army general staff college.

Plan Uniform Automobile Traffic Code

CLEVELAND, O., December 6.—The executive committee of thirty-eight members of the International Traffic Officers' Association began hearings and executive sessions here today to complete the drafting of a uniform automobile traffic code. When completed the code will be considered by all legislatures of the United States and provincial legislatures of subdivisions of Canada.

Definite information as to details of the code cannot be obtained until the work is completed, probably Thursday or Friday. It is understood, however that problems to be simplified and unified include those relating to automobile and truck transportation, arrests and penalties, steam and electric railways, safety first and safety appliances, rules of the road and auto thefts.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio.
December 6, 1920.

	Bkd. sup. ft.	Bkd. river ft.	Change since last rep.	Freo. last 24 hrs.
Franklin	15 5.4R			
Greensboro	18 10.3F	.10		
Pittsburgh	22 6.5F			.04
Dam No. 13	13 0F	.60		
Zanesville	25 10.0F	.70		
Parkersburg	26 12.3F			
Charleston	20 6.1F	.15		
Point Pleasant	40 14.4R	.20		
Ashland	50 19.2R	.40		
Portsmouth	50 15.7F	.70		
Cincinnati	50 19.8R	.20		

F. B. WINTER,
River Observer.

"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Ware. Mrs. W. Gardner, Gay and Gallia. 6tf

From Miami, Florida: Breakfast not complete without Golden Dream Coffee. It is the best yet. tf

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Good books make children happy and build character.

They delight and instruct.

How many other gifts do this?

W. W. REILLY & CO.

TURLEY BLDG.

"Just what I've always wanted." That's the beauty about

KODAK

as a Christmas gift—you know it's what they want.

Kodakery is a monthly photographic magazine published by the Eastman Kodak Company, that regularly sells for sixty cents. It's worth more—much more. With every purchase of a Kodak, Brownie, Graflex or Premo camera goes a free subscription to this magazine—two gifts in one—Kodak and Kodakery.

It may seem like a "gift problem" at your house—but it won't when you come down here.

Kodaks, $9.00 up
Brownies, $2.00 up

Wurster Bros.

$208,227.85

We are mailing checks for that amount, plus the interest, to the members of our 1920 Christmas Money Club.

This is an increase of $50,000.00 over the 1919

MONEY CLUB

Read This

Portsmouth, Ohio,
December 6th, 1920

The undersigned members of the Auditing Committee of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank, of Portsmouth, Ohio, do hereby certify that the books of the Bank at the close of business November 30, 1920, showed a balance of $208,227.85 to the credit of the members of the 1920 Christmas Money Club.

EDWARD T. REED,
FRED N. TYNES,
Auditing Committee.

STATE OF OHIO,
Scioto County, ss.

Before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Edward T. Reed and Fred N. Tynes, who being duly sworn, do hereby acknowledge that the above statement is true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of December, 1920.

LOUIS J. VETTER,
Notary Public,
Scioto County, Ohio.

This statement is in line with the policy of this bank---frank open publication for our affairs--absolute privacy for yours.

The CLUB For 1921 Is Open For Membership

Join now and avoid the rush that is certain to come later on.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Capital and Surplus, $85,000.00. **Resources $6,500,000.00.**

THE BANK FOR WORKING PEOPLE.

...ATHS OF FORGET-ME-NOTS PLACED ON MEMORIES OF DEPARTED ELKS AT ANNUAL LODGE OF SORROW

...community and impressive... Lodge of B. P. O. Elks ... paid a glowing tribute to the ... of their departed members ... afternoon when the annual ... of sorrow was held.

... day in Elkdom is universally ... and has where with more ap... than in Portsmouth and ... yesterday were comfort... ... simplicity and ... It is the day on which ... of the dead are extolled, ... on which homage is paid to ... who have trod life's path and ... answered the call of their Ma...

... opening exercises were in ... of Exalted Ruler S. Anderson ... and other officers of ... lodge. Following this rit... an octette composed of ... Myrtle Ziegler, Miss Bertha ... Fred Lorey, Chester Higgles ... C. E. Noller, Miss Katie Mona... Karl Kappas and Watson Gol... sang very sweetly "Crossing the ...

Eulogy on W. T. Bauer

... Anderson, pastor exalted ru... then delivered the following eulogy on the late W. T. Bauer, whose death occurred during the past year:

William Thomas Bauer was born at ... Bois, Penn. October 16, 1880. He received his education there and came to this city when he was not of age and started for his life's journey. After a short while here he became the representative of the Sun Vapor Street Light Co.

In this work he served the people and made friends, wherever he went. He was always ready to do a piece of repair work for any man when his lights went wrong, the night or day that never too dark or cold for him and always with a smile.

On the 25 day of Feb. 1912 he was united in marriage with Miss Helen Boettinger of this city. A son William ... was the only child, and how proud he was of his family that he loved so well.

He had just been a member of the B. P. O. E. a few short months and yet he was known and loved by all. He carried a smile always and this made him friends.

The last few years of his life he was local representative for the Cincinnati Abbattoir Co.

In his lingering sickness I saw him and the smile was on his face as when he had his health, yet I realized that he knew the seriousness of his condition, but his spirits were none the less brave and cheerful.

Mr. Bauer was a natural Elk. He believed in the great principles of the order.

Faith—the gift that saves mankind.
Hope—the gift that cheers mankind.
Charity—the gift that makes men kind.

The stroke of eleven has sounded and a brother was taken from us. He was in the May day of his life, a young man with a family and a home to love and care for, a man that gathered flowers aong the living and spoke words of kindness to all.

He did not care for great wealth. Perhaps this is one of the great secrets of his hold upon the affections of his fellow men and especially our Brothers who find in his career a demonstration that a good name is rather to be chosen than great riches.

He died August the 28th 1920, and was laid to rest at Du Bois, Penn. May light perpetual shine upon him and when our work on earth is done and the end cometh to us all may we find in that country of peace, and everlasting home.

That ever pleasing vocalist Clem The Brain then sang "Let Not Your Heart be Troubled" in his characteristic way.

Eulogy on Philo S. Clark

R. G. Bryan then delivered the following beautiful eulogy on the memory of the late Philo S. Clark for many years a highly regarded citizen of this city:

Brother Exalted Ruler, Friends and Brother Elks:

Do not permit me, I pray you, by any thought of word of mine, to turn for you this lodge of sorrow into one of gloom. This is a solemn occasion but none the less a righteously happy and joyous one, thereby affording a consolation and piece of mind, we trust, not only to immediate friends but indeed to all.

In paying reverence and tribute we are reminded that these services are empty except as lessons for the living. As we can so profitably learn from the life of him whom we fain would eulogize at this particular moment, surely we have occasioned to be happy that so grand a soul went in and out among us and that he has left unconsciously his imprint upon every hand and especially so beautifully upon the memories of the legions so joyously blessed with his friendship.

The poet wrote:

I want a warm and faithful friend
To cheer the adverse hour;
Who ne'er to flatter will descend
Nor bend the knee to power.
A friend to chide me when I'm wrong
My inmost soul to see:
And that my friendship prove as strong
To him as his to me.

Could one more fully answer the poet's wants than our friend so lately left us?

You quite agree with me, I am sure, in saying it is an impossibility for one short mention to pay the full meed of tribute he would. Were time given each of us who called him friend to pay tribute in words, those tributes would well from grieving hearts and would tie with each other in their encomiums and be as varied as the tints of autumn's forest and make as expansive and as harmoniously beautiful a picture. Would that we could all be so privileged to speak.

When I think of our friend and brother I begin to realize how feeble indeed are words to measure his worth and I exclaim with the poet:

"And I would my tongue could utter
The thoughts that arise in me."

I assure you, friends, I speak with almost filial affection because I served under his direction in the Post Office ere I had passed my teens, and our salutations and greetings from then forward were always the most cordial our relations the most pleasant. Mine indeed, with hundreds, may I say thousands, of others is a personal loss, and I long "For the touch of a vanished hand. And the sound of a voice that is still." As we are bidden this afternoon, dwelling for a brief moment or two in memory's hall we recall our friend as a man of business, a politician, a financier, an optimist, and above all an American citizen, markedly successful in all.

Starting in the insurance field among strangers his determination and fair dealings soon won the admiration of his new neighbors and in this his chosen field he was active until his passing. Ever a watchful guardian of the interests of those looking to him for protection, his business deservedly grew to handsome proportions.

A politician did I say? Yes and as true a one as ever fought a battle! He saw the welfare of his Nation depended upon there being two great political parties, one ever checking the other when bounds of propriety are trespassed. He allied himself with that party his conscience dictated is best serving the country. His wonderful thought and prowess for organization soon made him a commanding political figure. Called to leadership he did not shirk but put forth every ounce of energy in every battle and his almost uncanny planning and foretelling matters political made his counsel sought and heeded.

He was regarded alike political friend and foe as a wonderful organizer and general. His fame was statewide and reached into National Councils. Modesty alone prevented higher political preferment than Post Master. His several administrations of that department were signally efficient and creditable. On the occasion of his passing into that silent land, one of his political colleagues, none other than President-elect Harding wired, in part:

"His passing is a severe and lasting loss to the great party which he served so devotedly and so ably, and in whose councils for more than a third of a century he filled so large and influential a part."

A political adversary on the same occasion said to him:

"As a political leader he had few peers. His word as good as his bond. Sagacious, far seeing, courageous, cool and deliberate. He loved to sniff the aroma of a political battle. Political leaders have come and gone but few possessed the wisdom, clarity of thought and perspicacity that were his." Likewise at the same time, that imperial political critic, Faulkner, refers to him as the "Old Commander", whose name was synonymous with Republican leadership. He was of a type that is passing. In a number of respects he resembled a Gaelic tribesman who ruled because he was the strongest of his clan. If he ruled it, he fought for it too. There was none of the trickster in him. He was too big for that. Nor did he lie and evade the direct contacts of the great game. For these things too he was too big. He met his factional and partisan foes in frontal attack, seldom assaulting on the flank whether he lost or won, the fight was fought fairly and all the way through. He did not trade off. There never was any doubt as to his politics nor as to his patriotism. They were a part of his nature and rang true to every test applied. He usually won because men took his word where they would not take another politician's bond. The gift of organization was his in a large degree and he had the brains to developed and make it valuable. Withal he was an honest gentleman, a loyal life companion and an American citizen with high ideals that he desired to be translated into government. Not only his party but his community lost a valuable friend, adviser and counsellor."

Thus my friends, spake colleague, foe and critic.

A Financier—When one of our best financial institutions with their loyalty and vision for this community cast about them for additional personnel, they approached our friend. He with his usual modesty shrank from the thought. He was shown it in the light of duty. He accepted and true to himself and friends, he gave the best that was in him and with his counsel and with his purse he with his colleagues builded bigger and better and withal wisely.

An Optimist—He saw with his usual vision Greater Portsmouth, and with his efforts his purse and counsels joined his fellows in building her bigger and broader and more substantial.

An American—How fitting it seems that fate crowned his busy life with the supreme effort he put forth in the great world war relief and kindred activities of those trying and stirring times. Again he was sought to lead the fight. Again modesty bade him hesitate. Again he heard the call to duty. Again he responded. It was in this work he shows among men as never before. Those who had never been his colleague, then saw in full action his powers of organization, his dogged determination, faithfulness to duty, a real master, and all for humanity.

Through all of the stirring activities, loving them all, because he saw in each his duty, he was happiest when thinking of his own home and his aged mother to whom he clung with pathetic tenderness as long as she was spared him. To his own home he turned with great affection for rest from his daily battles of whether kind.

Through all these varied activities of the busy life that was his, shown his inherent qualities peculiarly and marvelously blended. Bold in action modest in demeanor, faithful in trust, determined. "He won his own place, his own friends."

Such was Philo S. Clark, a Charter Member of Portsmouth Lodge of Elks, who passed into the silent land on Washington's Birthday, Nineteen Twenty.

And on memory wall's he has left a beautiful tapestry, of finest fibre and texture, enduring his memory itself, portraying a flower garden in the full bloom of Verdant Spring. All of the flowers of the garden are there in profusion, blending to make a charming symphony of colors typical of his individual characteristics that blended to make the personality that was his, the memory of which is as pleasant as the fragrance of the flowers in all their sublimity.

I know you will join me when I exclaim

Around the tomb, Oh friend of mine
Where soft thy hallowed brow reposes
Long may the deathless ivy twine
And summer pour her wealth of roses.

A male quartette with soprano obligato composed of Mrs. S. R. Timmonds, Fred Lorey, Watson Coddard, Chester Higgles and Karl Kappas, then sang "Near My God To Thee."

Eulogy on J. H. Varner

Judge George M. Osborn delivered the following pretty eulogy on the life of J. H. Varner:

The committee in charge of these ceremonies has assigned to me the duty and privilege of adding to the imperishable tablet of Elkdom's memory a slight tribute to the memory of our departed brother James Houston Varner. It has seemed to me a type to scratch with a pin a work worthy of a most talented artist with his graver's chisel.

The fundamental principles of this order with its broad views on the fatherhood of the Almighty Exalted Ruler of the Universe and the common brotherhood of all mankind from the highest to the lowest degree, and its regard for social association as a powerful instrument in the development of charity and the elevation of humanity strongly appealed to brother Varner's nature and he became a charter member of this lodge upon its organization about thirty years ago and at no time did his devotion and the promotion of its interests fail him. He was an ideal Elk, practicing the precepts of the order, a consistent participant in its social activities even after the years had bowed him to approach the great gate, a leader in its material affairs and always to the front upon its call for service both to the lodge and the community.

It is not my purpose to attempt to eulogize Mr. Varner, and he would enter a strong protest against such an effort. He was a strong, manly humanity being with all human emotions, passions and frailties with which the Great Creator has in his omnipotence and omniscience endowed manly men.

His Christianity was broad and unwavering, with more and stronger regard for the Divine commands than for the scholarly creeds of the theologians. To him the Voice from Sinai and the words from the Mount meant more than the elaborations of Moses, the philosophy of Paul of the theological economy of Peter. He was

"Slave to no sect, who takes no private road.
But looks through Nature up to Nature's God," and he believed.

"For modes of faith let graceless zealots fight;
His can't be wrong whose life is in the right."

Fidelity, brotherly love and charity were to him not mere words.

"He was true as needle to the pole
Or as the dial to the sun."

To every word upon which he engaged. In his business life his word was accepted as his bond. Every engagement was met with promptness however much it might hurt. In prosperity and seeming adversity he walked on the line without faltering or apparent dejection and with unfailing cheerfulness and acceptance of the decree.

As a citizen his loyalty to the city of his birth and his home for the greater part of his life was extreme. He was active in every movement looking to the advancement and development of the city and the improvement and elevation of its citizenship. During the great world war against autocracy and for the preservation of democracy and political and social liberty he was especially forward in all patriotic activities giving freely of both time and means. At home and abroad Portsmouth and her people were always first with him. He believed that the citizenship of tomorrow depends upon the education and training of the youth of today and acting upon the belief he was a pioneer in the local boy scout movement devoting much time and personal attention to this work of organization and training, and any a young man can now recall the benefit and help received by him from the counsel and material assistance given him by Brother Varner.

He was never weary in well doing. Brotherly love to him extended far beyond the circle of family, social and business acquaintances. It included all mankind. He had the same cheerful greeting for the servant as for the master and for the pauper as for the prince, based upon the belief that under changed environment and changed opportunity and the equal natural endowment their relative positions might have been changed.

To him the giving of financial relief to the needy was the smallest expression of true charity. The great poet had his kind in mind when he wrote:

"He hath a tear for pity, and a hand
Open as day for melting charity."

Always ready to extend a helping hand to the unfortunate and despondent, his cheerful greeting, happy smile friendly hand clasp and kindly words of comfort, encouragement and cheer will be remembered by many men and boys as the stimulus that lead them to renewed effort and consequent achievement of success and happiness.

With his friends he knew no law of "meum et tuum." To him it was only "Tuum."

Justice, but justice tempered with mercy was a keystone of his character, and his code has been expressed by both poet and statesman:

"He only judges right who weighs, compares,
And, in the sternest sentence which his voice
Pronounces, ne'er abandons charity."
"With malice toward none; with charity
For all, with firmness in the right, as
God gives us to see the right."

His happy, genial nature, his ready clean wit and his ability as a raconteur made him a much deserved companion at any social gathering.

The devotion of a loving wife and the affection and supreme confidence of his children attest his character as a husband and father and the sacredness of the family relation is too great to permit further comment upon this occasion.

Brother Varner answered the final call with fortitude and entered into "The undiscovered country from whose bourn No traveller returns" without complaint or misgiving when he might yet anticipated many years of usefulness and happiness, and by his death this lodge has lost a beloved and valuable brother and companion, the community a useful and honored citizen and his family a loving and devoted husband and father; let us like him accept this loss bravely with faith that the full accomplishment of his life work has not yet been achieved.

May he rest in peace:

Miss Bertha Staiger and Watson Goddard followed with a duet, "There Is a Reaper" singing it with resonance and sweetness.

Eulogy on L. D. York

Harry W. Miller followed the duet by delivering the following tribute to his life long friend, the late L. D. York:

Exalted Ruler, Brother Elks and Friends:

Man is his own star, and the soul that can
Render an honest and a perfect man,
Commands all light, all influence all fate;
Nothing to him falls early or too late.

On this occasion we pause in our pursuits, whether they be of pleasure, acts of charity, cool will or in the acquisition of our daily bread, not only to pay a tribute to our brother's worth as men and neighbors, but, ere "the silver be broken at the cistern," to consider, as best we can the mysteries of the future, and to prepare for the answer when we finally challenge, "Watchman, what of the night?"

The Elks in every lodge today, at this very hour are doing a likewise service consoling friends and minister in their memories with those who do not respond to earthly call. It is an instructive rite of human nature, a natural impulse, springing from the heart and the lofty sentiments of love and sympathy to meet in cool fare-well and in honor to our dead. We cannot, and we will not attempt to assuage grief, for as it has been so beautifully said, "The nurture for the dead is the only sorrow from which we refuse to be divorced. Every other wound we seek to heal, every other affliction we forget but this affliction we cherish, we brood over in its solitude we refuse to forget it."

One of the great influences that has contributed to the development of the world and left its stamp of progress is the inspiring force of the Nordic race of men. It is indeed the hands of mankind, and its energy, tenacity and industry have been a dominating element in all the walks and avenues of human endeavor. This race, which had its origin in the bleak north, in the countries bordering on the Baltic and North Sea, and particularly on the Scandinavian Peninsula, sent forth centuries ago one of its great branches the Anglo-Saxons, who settled, after many vicissitudes, forced its language, habits and manners on England and the greater part of Ireland. The spirit of the Anglo-Saxon mind is the open field and fair play, love of freedom, planting of foot to foot, freedom from all craft and subtlety, and reverence for the stabilizing virtues of respect for law and orderly government. King Ethelwald spoke the language of Saxon will and determination, when he planted himself at Winborne and said, "he would do one of two things, or there live or there die."

I come now to speak of such, of a man of affairs, a captain of industry and of one whose energy and activities are indelibly impressed on the progress and history of Portsmouth.

Mr. Levi D. York was born at Wednesbury, Staffordshire, England, December the 20th, 1847. He left school early and learned the trade of roll turner in that busy manufacturing city of England. His alma mater, was the school of experience, contact with men and the realties of life. This school furnishes a broad curriculum and it numbers among its graduates many of the great characters and leaders of the world.

Mr. York came to America in 1868 and located at Akron. He stayed there until 1869 when he went to a steel mill at Patterson, New Jersey, and was soon made superintendent, continuing until 1878. He has told me, while on a trip together in New York, standing under the elevated railway tracks, that he superintended the roll-ing of the steel for that great structure. In September 1878 he went to Columbia, South America, and spent a year or so building a blast furnace and rolling mill for the Government. On the day before Thanksgiving in 1879 he came to Portsmouth and his work here since that time has been so closely associated and contributed so much to its growth and expansion that that it is an integral part of this city.

There is scarcely a line of business or industry in Portsmouth that he has not been connected with, but particularly with the steel industry. It was through his efforts and faith in Portsmouth, that we were given the great steel plant at New Boston. He later became the owner of the street railroad and gave it immediately his personal supervision, and, notwithstanding discouragements and difficulties it has kept pace with the rapid growth of Portsmouth. He built the traction railroad to Ironton, and in these utilities, and the opening of York Place and Millbrook Park, the public has been given pleasure, profit and benefit. At the time of his death he was President of The Portsmouth Street Railway company, The Ohio Valley Traction company and the Hutchins Iron and Ore company, a Director in the Security Bank, and was associated in many other companies and corporations. He brought to everything he was connected with exceptional business ability, foresight, courage and indomitable industry. He had faith in himself and his associates, faith in his city and faith in his country and in mankind.

Mr. York was a member of All Saints' church and regular in his religious views. He was tolerant, and he did not use his own beliefs to measure others, but accorded to others the right he reserved to himself, to have and to act upon one's own convictions. He was generous, no civic or public request was ever denied, and he gave to charity at all times quietly and liberally.

Mr. York's courage and energy predominated, nothing could swerve him from a course once adopted; he had the rugged honesty and the sturdy and persistent habits of his race and which have been transferred, by men like Mr. York, to America and has become a national characteristic. He fought with courage he won without gloating, he lost without complaint.

After the relaxation from business and its cares, he had the most charming social qualities, he liked company and his fellow men and enjoyed their comradeship. He was a member of the Elks and Masons of this city, the California Club of Los Angeles, the Athletic Club of Columbus, the Queen City Club of Cincinnati, the American Society of Engineers, the Los Angeles Country Club and the Engineers Club of New York.

The test of character, and the revelations of its graces is in the family relations. Rousseau says of family life—"The habit of living together gives birth to the sweetest sentiments the human species is acquainted with, conjugal and paternal love." Mr. York's home life was beautiful, he did not consider home a mere place to eat his bread and seek shelter from the elements. It was to him a sweet asylum a sanctuary and a consecrated spot where he could indulge the great love he had for his family and entertain his friends with generous hospitality. He was true and devoted as a husband, and more than an indulgent father he was his children's companion in their pleasures and a sympathetic counsellor in their cares.

Thus, my brothers, has our brother lived in accord with the precepts and traditions of our Lodge. We publically proclaim that he was a true Elk and we will hold him in loving remembrance.

He was—

"Formed on the good old plan,
A true and brave and upright honest man,
Loathing pretense, he did with cheerful will
What others talked of while their hands were still.

He was all in all a man. He met death with the same fortitude and courage which marked his life, and when he yielded to the summons, it could have been said, as Horatio said, when Hamlet fell, "Now crack a noble heart."

An octette then sang "The Lost Chord" and Chaplain Jones closed the exercises with benediction.

The audience was so large that it was overflowed into several anterooms and the services were unusually well arranged and well handled. It was an special day in Elkdom, a day on which the heart of every true Elk is filled with sadness for some dear friend who has passed on.

The committee on arrangements that worked so diligently to make the memorial exercises so memorable included W. H. Schwartz, chairman, Watson Goddard and Otto B. Maller.

Would Give 4th Class P. M's Regular Pay

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Revision of the compensation of fourth class postmasters is to be proposed by Senator Moses, Republican, New Hampshire. He announced today that he would introduce a bill to put these postmasters on a salary basis, ranging from $125 to $900 annually, as a substitute for their payment according to the volume of their postage stamp cancellations.

About 41,000 such postmasters would be affected.

Machine Gun Guards Jail Against Mob

WISE, VA., Dec. 6—With the arrival early today of detachments of National Guard troops from Roanoke and Lynchburg, the authorities believed they had under control the situation resulting from the storming yesterday of the county jail by a mob bent on lynching a negro charged with assaulting and robbing an aged white merchant.

The determined resistance of Sheriff Corder and his deputies barricaded in the jail and the death of Tate Bloundell, alleged leader of the mob, during the exchange of shots, effectively checked the mob until the arrival of the troops.

Threats that another and larger mob was forming for an attack last night failed to materialize. A machine gun had been mounted on the jail and the defenders were ordered to "shoot to kill."

So far as could be learned today the death of Bloundell and the serious wounding of John M. Lewis, another alleged mob member, were the only casualties.

Lewis has three bullet wounds in the chest and his condition is said to be serious.

Tried To Enter Library.

A trio of youths were taken into custody by the police Sunday afternoon when they were caught in the act of entering the public library through a window, it is claimed.

The youths were brought to police headquarters but were later released on their promise to appear in court to explain to Acting Judge E. G. Miller.

Wilson Receives Senators

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gress tomorrow in person. He simply told the committee that came to inform him congress was in session that he "would communicate with congress."

The president received the congressional committee standing in the Blue Room. Former Speaker Champ Clark said the President walked into the room "briskly" but with a cane.

Senator Underwood, of Alabama, the Democratic leader in the senate, described the president as being "in very good spirits," and as looking "very well."

The impression taken away from the White House, by the five members of the committee—Senators Lodge and Underwood and Representatives Mondell, Fordney and Clark, was that the president would not address congress in person, but would send his message to be read.

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aid.

Harding Will Decide for Himself

But there is no suspicion here that Mr. Wilson will try to foist his views about the league on Mr. Harding. The latter will decided for himself whether the league is a dead issue or not and what he will do about it. On the other hand, the particular problem before the president as seen by friends of the league is that unless he sends the treaty and covenant back to the Senate, there will be nothing before that body. It is suggested, for example, that it would be difficult for Mr. Harding to send the treaty to the Senate without first arranging with other powers for changes. Although the view is being urged upon the President that full responsibility for the failure to ratify the treaty would rest upon the senate if he sent the document to the upper house with his own suggestions of changes that could be made to satisfy criticisms made heretofore.

Indeed it would occasion no surprise if Mr. Wilson, realizing his defeat in the last election would at last make a compromise suggestion and leave it to the Republican Senate to approve or reject but furnishing at any rate a basis for a continuance of the discussion.

Want Wilson To Forget It

The Republicans themselves would prefer that Mr. Wilson forget about the treaty and keep it in a pigeon hole until Senator Harding gets inside the White House and begins cleaning up his desk and examining his files. They are fearful that the demand in the next few weeks will be for legislation to afford relief to the farmers of the west, the cotton growers of the south and agriculturists generally. The clash between the city and the farm is a serious one. The attitude of the treasury department may be said to reflect President Wilson's views, namely that the credit of the United States is already in such strained condition that to extend loans to any one class would only start a general demand for relief which would weaken the government purse and force down the price of liberty bonds and other obligations.

American Business Nervous

Much of the trouble is due to the fact that while the people voted in November to turn the Democratic administration out of power, the new administration doesn't come into office until three months have passed and probably will not get familiar with the problems in hand for another two months after that, while American business suffers all sorts of fears and nervousness. This shaky condition of the economic world will compel conferences between Wilson and Harding administrations and between Republican and Democratic leaders. Most officials are optimistic about the future and attribute the entire business upset to the pains of readjustment and the difficulties of changing administrations in the midst of a reconstruction period unparalleled in American history.

Take Stock Of Your Health Now

Winter Brings Many Ills To Pale Overworked People

TAKE PEPTO-MANGAN

Fortify Your System—Good Blood Will Give You New Strength to Keep Well

If you feel the least bit run down, not necessarily sick, but tired and like and sort of down and out, it shows plainly that your power of resistance is low.

It is dangerous to go around that way. You don't want to do it.

Make no mistake about it, when you feel yourself slipping into lazy habits, getting indifferent to the things you naturally like—no energy, no vigor, always tired—it is time to look out. It may not mean that you are sick or that you will be. But there are diseases that would have an easy time of it with your system when your blood has no fighting qualities.

You want to be well and keep well and feel strong. If you build up the quality of your blood by taking Pepto-Mangan you will be in trim to fight off winter ills. It has just the right ingredients to build your blood up with rich, red corpuscles.

Pepto-Mangan gives your blood the qualities it needs to pick you up and start you off on a healthy basis. You will notice the difference soon after you start taking it. You will have better color, better feeling, and more energy.

You can take it in liquid or tablet form as you prefer. Both have the same ingredients. But be sure you get the genuine Gude's Pepto-Mangan. Ask for it by that name—"Gude's Pepto-Mangan," and be sure the full name is on the package.—adv.

Don't Put On Magnifying Glasses!

You are feeling the decline in prices, of course. But it's no surprise. The fact is, it has held off longer than most of us had reason to hope.

So don't magnify your own problems and do something foolish.

Rather, meet them squarely, with the fullest information at hand, with careful consideration and frequent counsels with your banker.

The present situation doesn't appall this bank. Its officers are ready to give customers the benefit of what it has learned.

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Masonic Dance Tomorrow Night

Masons, their wives and sweethearts are looking forward to the dance to be given Tuesday night at Baesman's academy. An enjoyable evening of dancing is in store for all who attend as the committee in charge has made complete arrangements for an evening of pleasure. Baesman's orchestra will furnish the music. Dancing will take place from nine until twelve. All Masons their wives and sweethearts are invited.

Sciotoville Floor Squad Met Defeat In Ashland, Ky.

Sciotoville high school boys basketball team lost a closely played game at Ashland Saturday night by the score of 21 to 22. The first few minutes of play resulted in a scoreless tie until Snyder of Ashland scored a foul goal on a personal by Powell. From then on Ashland steadily gained. Sciotoville could not get their scoring machine working until near the end of the first half when Brown dribbled the ball the length of the floor and shot a field ball. Edwards then caged the ball for two points and Brock scored a foul goal, making the score at the end of the first half read Ashland 16, Sciotoville, 5.

Sciotoville came back strong in the last half, Powell and Brock beginning to register points in their old time form. Both men got three field goals and Edwards added one more. Sciotoville made 17 points to Ashland's 8 in the last half but Ashland's lead was too big to overcome. Elkins and Snyder played a snappy brand of ball for Ashland while Bruce played a steady game at guard.

Sciotoville plays Waverly at Sciotoville Friday night and Ashland plays a return game at Sciotoville Saturday night.

A big turnout is predicted for both games as these will be the first home games of the season. The lineups Saturday night were:

Sciotoville		Ashland
Powell	R. F.	Edgall
Brock	L. F.	Elkins
Edwards	C	Snyder
Courtney	R. G.	Nady
Brown	L. G.	Bruce

Substitutions—Courtney for Powell; Winters for Courtney.

Field Goals—Edgall 2; Elkins 4; Snyder 2; Nady 2; Brock 3; Powell 3; Edwards 2 Brown 1.

Foul Goals—Brock 3; Courtney 1; Snyder 4.

There are more Baldwin made pianos and player pianos in use in Portsmouth than any other known make. There's a reason! Baldwin's 822 Chillicothe St. 6tf

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Youth's Leg Found Broken

Robert Taylor, young son of Mrs. Mary Taylor of 2932 Walnut street who was run down by an automobile last week had an X-ray of his leg taken Saturday. It shows the leg to be badly broken above the knee. It is probable that an operation may be necessary so the bones can be wired together.

No Bones Broken

John Smith, of Peebles addition, New Boston, employed at the Peebles paving brick plant, dropped a brick on his foot while at work Saturday. The foot was x-rayed but it was found that no bones were broken.

Woman Found Stricken In Home

Mrs. John Helfenbein one of the best known residents of Waverly was found in a dangerous condition at her home Sunday noon by a relative, and after breaking his way into the house the relative found the woman to be suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

She is near 70 years of age and lives alone at her home in Waverly. Mrs. J. H. Schusky of this city, who was in Waverly Friday and Saturday talked with Mrs. Helfenbein about five o'clock Saturday afternoon, she sending word by the local woman to relatives here. Saturday night she was seen on the Waverly street, returning home about nine o'clock.

Louis Strapp, a grandson of Mrs. Helfenbein, arrived in Waverly Sunday noon from Columbus to take her to Columbus for the winter. On arrival at the home he could not arouse anyone and later he looked in the windows. On looking into the bedroom window he discovered Mrs. Helfenbein on the bed. He summoned neighbors and they broke into the house. A physician was called and he found the woman's entire left side paralyzed. She was unconscious and relatives do not know whether she was stricken Saturday night or Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Nickel of 1317 McCaskell avenue and Lester Hefenbein of New Boston are children of Mrs. Helfenbein. Mrs. Nickel, Mr. Hefenbein and Mrs. Louise Strapp of Columbus were children at the woman's bedside Sunday. Her other children, John and Scott of Petersburg, Ind., have been summoned to Waverly.

BELIEVED THIEVES USED STOLEN CAR TO GET MOONSHINE WHISKEY

C. B. Ehrman of the Portsmouth Paige company stated Monday that he was satisfied that the two young men, who recently broke into his garage and stole William Marshall's machine used the car to get some moonshine whiskey in Lewis county, Kentucky. He says he learned that the men crossed the river at Vanceburg last Friday and then drove to the "Y" road on the West Side, where they abandoned the machine.

The men stopped at a store in Friendship and bought some cheese and crackers before coming to this city. The car was considerably damaged as it had evidently figured in an accident

ALLEGED GUN TOTER GOES ON RAMPAGE; CAUGHT BY POLICE

James Hall was the name given by a young man arrested by the police about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and locked up at the city jail on a formal charge of gun toting.

Hall, who is a brickworker, after tanking up on liquor started into shoot up the town, it is claimed, firing several shots from a pistol in the vicinity of Chillicothe and Seventeenth streets before the officers arrived on the scene and nabbed him.

Two Traffic Violators

Only two alleged traffic offenders were caught by the police over Sunday and they were Dr. A. L. Test who must meet a complaint of driving on the wrong side of the street and Harry Malone must explain his failure to keep the tail light burning on his car.

Argentine's Amendment Up Next Session

GENEVA, December 6.—(By the Associated Press)—Argentine's amendment to the covenant of the League of Nations, rejection of which caused the delegation of that country to leave the assembly on Saturday morning, has been referred to the assembly for consideration at its next meeting. Honorio Pueyrredon, head of the Argentine mission told the Associated Press today that his delegation would leave for Paris on Wednesday or Thursday.

"Today's decision of the assembly finally settles the question for Argentina," he said. "I shall make a few calls, give several lunches and leave for home the middle of the week. I was willing to consent to the postponement of all Argentina's amendments except those regarding the admission of all states and the election of the four elective members of the council, but the assembly has seen fit to resort to a technicality of procedure in a matter vital to the life of the league. I am sure American public opinion is with us in this matter and I have already received indication of this in a cablegram from Chicago."

Senor Pueyrredon intimated the withdrawal of Argentina from the assembly might be followed shortly by a formal announcement of that country's intention to retire from the league itself.

LONDON, December 6.—Withdrawal of the Argentine delegation from the assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva does not seem to be endorsed by the British press so far as opinion is reflected in editorial comments.

While declaring it is heartily in sympathy with the motive of Argentina's protest, the Daily News expresses regret for her threat and says that to withdraw from the league at such a moment and in such a cause, would "weaken the progressive elements in the league and strengthen the reactionary forces.

The Chronicle absolves the assembly from blame, adding:

"For a member of the league to join unconditionally and then retire the moment its fellow members delay to transform the league at its bidding is not playing the game.

Only evil could have resulted from making amendments when the bulk of the clauses of the covenant have never been in operation" declares the Times. Amendments when the time comes for them should be the fruits of experience and ripe consideration of practical needs.

Newspapers of this city refer hopefully to the possibility of the United States joining the league in the future, the Chronicle remarking: "The terms upon which the American cooperation may be obtained can be ascertained only by negotiations after President-elect Harding assumes office. It would manifestly be unwise to prejudice these future negotiations by making piece-meal amendments to the league constitution.

YOUR RHEUMATISM

Remove Its Cause by Purifying Your Blood.

One of the most important duties of your system is to burn up certain substances no longer of use in your body. One is uric acid, now generally held to be the cause of rheumatism. It inflames the joints, stiffens the muscles, causes pains, aches, and lameness.

The system is helped to dispose of this troublesome substance, and rheumatism is permanently relieved, by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one true blood purifier. It is aided in many cases by Hood's Pills, which in small doses are a gentle laxative, in larger doses an active cathartic. A grand course of treatment, economical and effective.

Fire Destroys Shed

An alarm from Box 48 shortly before four o'clock Sunday morning sent the companies from two fire stations on hurry runs to 1013 Fourteenth street where a shed at the rear of the home of Earl Puckett was discovered in flames.

The shed was entirely destroyed together with a lot of tools, Mr. Puckett says $25 will cover the loss.

Hartbeck will insure you.

New Home Completed

Attorney C. M. Searl's new home at Nineteenth and Franklin avenue has been completed and he will move into it within a short time.

This will fix my cold

"I ALWAYS keep Dr. King's New Discovery handy. It breaks up hard, stubborn colds and stops the paroxysms of coughing." No harmful drugs, but just good medicine. At your druggists, 60c and $1.20 a bottle.

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Death Claims Mrs. Johnson

Mrs. Jetusha Johnson, widow of the late Joseph Johnson, died at her home, 1125 Eleventh street, at 12:45 o'clock this morning after an extended illness of cancer. She had been seriously ill since last August.

The deceased was born in Pike county, but had been a resident of this city for a number of years. Her late husband was janitor at the Eleventh street school for some years. Mrs. Johnson was about 78 years of age. Her closest surviving relative is a niece, Mrs. Will Cornette, of Ninth street.

Mrs. Johnson was a member of Allen Chapel A. M. E. church and also a member of Sheba Court, Eastern Stars. Funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. W. E. Watson of Allen Chapel in charge. Burial will be in Greenlawn.

AUTO HITS CURBING

An automobile driven by A. R. Wilson of Huntington suffered a broken wheel when it collided with a curbing in East Portsmouth Sunday night. Mr. Wilson says he lost control of the car when he turned around to say something to persons in the rear seat of his machine. He was on his way to Huntington when the accident occurred.

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The doctor will tell you that unless your power of resistance is up to normal you fall an easy victim to colds, grip, pneumonia and other serious illness.

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Ask yourself this question: Do I audit my system as I do my business?

As a business man you are careful to guard against lost motion in any department of your organization. You know that a weak unit may throw the entire organization out of working harmony.

Did you ever stop to think that the same thing is true of your own physical organization? Do you keep a close check on the various units that comprise your body, to see that there are no weak spots pulling you down and lessening your mental and physical efficiency?

Why busy men become "run down"

In the rush of business duties, busy men often thoughtlessly neglect the very thing in their lives which makes success easier to attain. That thing is health. Daily they tax their brains and bodies to the utmost without giving thought to the strenuous burden placed upon them, until finally their condition becomes such that even Nature cannot function properly.

When you feel "off color," do this: audit your system. See what is wrong. If you are not sure where the trouble lies, consult your physician. More likely than not, however, you will find that a good physic will correct the trouble.

The system needs cleansing

A water laxative is what you need—a laxative that will act quickly—that will flush away the waste matter completely. That laxative is Pluto Water. It fulfills every requirement necessary to thoroughly and gently flush away the accumulation of waste in the system.

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Stop in the drug store and buy a bottle of Pluto Water on your way home tonight. Always keep it handy for regular and emergency use for the entire family. As a laxative take ¼ tumbler of Pluto; as a cathartic, ⅓ tumbler; as a purgative, ½ tumbler—add hot or cold water to fill glass. Bottled at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

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FOR SALE—Good young cow. Phone 5100-L. 12-6-tf

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FOR SALE—Singer sewing machines the best Xmas present for your daughter. Only $6. Supply limited. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 211 Chillicothe St. 6-2t

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FOR SALE—Lady's black plush coat. Size 36. Price $7.00. Call 1136 3d St. 6-2t

FOR SALE—Five acres of good truck, raising land, one mile from Wheelersburg on Dogwood Ridge, on hard road near good school and church. Modern six room house, good barn, some fruit, plenty good water. Will sell reasonable. Lawrence Ferguson, Wheelersburg, Ohio. 6-3t

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FOR SALE—Everything for the auto. West End Supply Co., 115 Market street. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Ford, with light delivery body, extra radiator and other equipment, cheap. Call at 1116 Third St. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Coal, call C. W. Baker, Phone 2024-Y or J. W. Horton 2004-M. 24-tf

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FOR SALE—Mens' new suits $7.50 to $15.00. Unger's. You Know Us. 1035 Gallia St., near John. 23-tf

FOR SALE—18 H. P. gasoline engine, shafting and pulleys and coal box. Cheap. Inquire 1407 3rd. 4-3t

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FOR SALE—Cow. Fresh in 15 days. 1630 Rhodes Ave. New Boston. 1-3t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf, near Wells Station. Cheap for quick sale. Thomas Burton. 4-3t

FOR SALE—One of best homes on West Side. Brick touring car, good as new. Also good milk cow. Geo. McBell, West Side. 1-3t

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FOR SALE—Three room cottage. Call manager of Forest Theater, evenings. 20-tf

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FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow and calf. Call 1970-R. 5-3t

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FOR SALE, or Trade—1920 Studebaker in perfect condition on city property. Phone 162. 5-3t

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FOR SALE—Rabbit hound. Call 364-R. 5-tf

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FOR RENT—Six room house, gas and water; on Boulevard. $30 per month. The Land Office. 6-2t

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 1202 1-2 Young. 6-2t

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FOR RENT—2 unfurnished upstairs rooms. Bath, separate gas, meter, sink, private entrance, no children. Apply Tuesday, 1662 Highland. 6-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. Water, gas. 1313 6th. 6-2t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms upstairs for light house keeping for two persons, water and gas. 717 7th. 4tf

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 577-Y. 30-tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, modern. 2013 Gallia. Phone 1251-X. 30tf

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms upstairs. 101 Glover St. 4-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. 507 Washington. Phone 675-L. 4-3t

FOR RENT—2 room house, water and gas. 1112 10th St. Apply 920 John St. Phone 2210-X. 4-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for light house keeping, corner 6th and Gay. G. C. Wallace. 4tf

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping. 608 2nd St. Phone 2255-L. 4-3t

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FOR RENT—1 furnished or 2 unfurnished rooms. Phone 1211-R. 5-2t

FOR RENT—Five rooms downstairs. Ninth and Court. 5-2t

FOR RENT—House with three acres ground, located at mouth of Pine Creek, Wheelersburg. Phone 8102-L, Scioto ville. 3-tf

LOST

LOST or Strayed—Spotted female hound about 8 months old. Last seen on Boulevard. Phone 1159-L. 2-tf

LOST—Pair of glasses. Phone 176-X. Reward. 1-tf

LOST—License tag No. 62021. Phone Scioto ville 43-R. 5-2t

LOST—Taken by mistake Saturday at embroidery contest Masonic picnic. Phone 318. Mrs. Mavis Bridges. 6-1t

The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Oil shares again dominated the constructive side of the stock market on the resumption of trading today. Mexican Petroleum the feature of last Saturday's rally made an initial gain of 2 points which soon increased to 2½. Houston rose 2½ and Pan-American Petroleum a large fraction but Pacific Oil and Royal Dutch eased slightly. Among rails and industrials early quotations were confusing. St. Paul preferred advancing 1¾ with firmness in Vanadium and Lackawanna steels, while Southern Pacific, Crucible steel and the principal shippings were lower by fractions to 1½ points.

The market became heavy within the first hour, shorts putting out fresh lines as the buying power diminished. Southern Pacific fell 1⅝ points to its lowest price for the current movement and about 15 points under its recent high level.

Mexican Petroleum forfeited an extreme gain of 4½ points and Crucible reacted sharply after its early recovery. Shippings extended their losses Atlantic Gulf falling 3 points and Chemical displaying especial weakness. Mail order issues also sagged, Sears Roebuck declining 3 points and Montgomery, Ward and Company 1½. Call money opened with free offerings at 7 percent.

The stock market opened with a fairly steady tone today but resumption of the recent reactionary movement gradually effected many substantial declines. Sales approximated 700,000 shares.

The closing was weak.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

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American Can 25⅞
American Car and Foundry 126⅝
American Locomotive 84¾
American Smelting and Refining 46
American Sumatra Tobacco 74½
American T. and T. 96⅝
Anaconda Copper 39
Atchison 83⅛
Baldwin Locomotive 95¾
Baltimore and Ohio 36½
Bethlehem Steel "B" 55
Central Leather 30½
Chesapeake and Ohio 62
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 30
Corn Products 72½
Crucible Steel 93¾
General Motors 15
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 29⅝
Goodrich Co. 41⅞
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 53
International Paper 49⅝
Kennecott Copper Ex. Div. 18⅝
Mexican Petroleum 172⅝
New York Central 73⅝
Norfolk and Western 98⅞
Northern Pacific 83⅝
Pure Oil 34
Pennsylvania 40 ½
Reading 57½
Rep. Iron and Steel 67
Sinclair Oil and Refining 25⅝
Southern Pacific 102
Southern Railway 27⅝
Studebaker Corporation 45⅝
Texas Co. 50
Tobacco Products 64
Union Pacific 115⅝
United States Rubber 68
United States Steel 82
Utah Copper 51⅝
Westinghouse Electric 42⅝
Willys-Overland 7⅝

CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK
COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 6—Cities Service common 2.87 @ 2.7 2.Do bankers 32 @ 32½. Page Oil 34 last sale.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO PROVISIONS
CHICAGO, Dec. 6—(Close)—Wheat December 1.79; March 1.75.
Corn, Dec. 76½; May 78⅞.
Oats Dec. 49⅝; May 53⅛.
Pork: Jan. 24.25.
Lard: Jan. 14.95; May 14.62.
Ribs: Jan. 12.80; May 13.00.

CINCINNATI GRAIN
CINCINNATI, Dec. 6—Wheat 2.06 @ 2.08. Corn 81 2 82. Oats higher 51 @ 55. Rye easy 1.52 @ 1.53. Potatoes 6.50 @ 7.00. Hay firmer 20.00 @ 28.50.
9:30—

CHICAGO GRAIN
CHICAGO, Dec., 6—Wheat: Dec. 1.73¾; Mar. 1.68.
Corn. Dec. 73; May 78¼; July 78½.
Oats: Dec. 48⅝; May 54¼; July 52.
10:30—
Wheat: Dec. 1.73¾; March 1.71.
Corn: Dec. 74⅝; May 77⅝; July 78⅝.
Oats: Dec. 4-¾; May 52⅞; July 52⅝.
Close—
Wheat: Dec. 1.79¾; March 1.75.
Corn. Dec. 76½; May 78⅞; July 80¼.
Oats: Dec. 49⅝; May 53⅝; July 52⅞.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CINCINNATI
CINCINNATI, Dec. 6—Hogs: Receipts 9,200, market 25 to 50 cents lower. Heavies 10.50; packers and butchers 10.50; medium 10.50; heavy fat sows 6.00 @ 8.75; light shippers 10.50; pigs 110 pounds and less 8.00 @ 10.00.

Cattle: Receipts 2050, market slow and lower; steers good to choice 9.50 @ 12.00; fair to good 7.00 @ 9.50; common to fair 4.50 @ 7.00; heifers good to choice 7.50 @ 9.00; cows, good to choice 6.00 @ 7.00; fair to good 5.00 @ 6.00; cutters 3.75 @ 5.00.

Calves steady. Good to choice 13.00 @ 14.00; fair to good 9.00 @ 13.00; common and large 4.00 @ 8.00.

Sheep: Receipts 400, market 5 cents lower. Good to choice 5.00 @ 5.50; fair to good 4.00 @ 5.00; common 2.00 @ 3.00; bucks 2.00 @ 4.00. Lambs, steady; good to choice 11.50 @ 12.00; fair to good 10.00 @ 11.50; common 6.00 @ 8.50.

CHICAGO
CHICAGO, Dec. 6—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Cattle. Receipts 18,000; fat classes native steers 25 to 50 higher; bulk native steers 8.75 @ 13.00; cows and heifers mostly 5.00 @ 7.50; canners strong to 25 cents higher; bulk mostly 25 cents higher; bulk bologna 4.65 @ 5.40; veal calves slow and lower; bulk light and handy weights 10.50 @ 11.00; western range cattle strong to higher.

Hogs: Receipts 49,000; active 10 to 15 cents lower. Top 10.30; bulk 10.00 @ 10.25; pigs 15 cents to 25 cents lower. Bulk desirable 80 to 130 pound pigs around 9.75.

Sheep: Receipts 34,000; fat lambs 50 cents to 75 cents lower than Friday; choice fed western lambs 11.75; bulk native 11.00 @ 11.50; fat sheep 25 cent slower; bulk native ewes 4.25 @ 4.75; feeders about steady.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND
CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 6—Butter, extra in tub lots 57½ @ 58; prints 58⅝ @ 59; extra firsts 56½ @ 57; firsts 55½ @ 56; seconds 51 @ 52; packing 32 @ 35; fancy dairy 39 @ 40. Oleomargarine penal prints, nut oleo 25½ @ 29; high grade animal oil 22 @ 23½; lower grades 18½ @ 20.

Cheese: Fancy brick 40 @ 42; York 22 @ 25; Swiss 40 @ 42; Limburger fancy 32 @ 35.

Eggs: Fresh gathered northern extras 76; extra firsts 75; Ohio firsts new cases 74; firsts old cases 73; western firsts new cases 72; refrigerator extras 58; refrigerator firsts 56.

Poultry: Live heavy fowls 27; light stock 17 @ 19; springers 26; old roosters 18 @ 19; spring ducks 35 @ 37; turkeys 44 @ 45; geese 30 @ 35. Dressed chickens 2.00 @ 3.00 a dozen; jacks 5.00 @ 5.50 a dozen.

Potatoes: Ohio and New York round white No. 1 2.25 per 120 pound sack; Michigan round white 2.25; Colorado brown beauties No. 1, 2.00.

Sweet potatoes. Virginia yellow 3.00 @ 3.25 per barrel; Delaware yellow No. 1, 1.75 @ 1.85 per bushel; kiln dried 1.90 @ 2.00 per bushel.

CHICAGO
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6—Butter lower; creamery 35 @ 46; eggs higher; receipts 1,000 cases; firsts 77 @ 78; ordinary firsts 66 @ 70; at mark, cases included 59 @ 73; standards 79 @ 80; refrigerator firsts 56 @ 57.

Poultry alive, higher. Fowls 18 @ 27; springs 28; turkeys 35.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL
CINCINNATI, Dec. 6—Alcohol, denatured 80 @ 84; 70 percent 40; gasoline tank wagon 31.

MONEY
NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Call money, steady; high 7; low 7; ruling rate 7. Closing bid 6; offered at 7; last loan 7. Bank acceptances 6¼.

SUGAR
NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Raw sugars steady at 4⅝ cents for Cuba, cost and freight, equal to 5.76 for Centrifugal.

Refined was steady with a moderate inquiry for prompt shipment sugars at unchanged prices with fine granulated quoted at 8.75 to 9.00.

Futures were easier early and prices showed declines of 10 points at midday under scattered liquidation and selling by commission houses.

Sugar futures closed easy; sales 2300 tons. Dec. 4.85; Jan. 4.88; March 5.00; May 5.12.

COTTON
NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Spot cotton quiet; middling 16.70.

Cotton futures closed very steady. Dec. 16.10; Jan. 16.35; March 16.40; May 16.49; July 16.57.

COFFEE
NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Coffee: Rio Number 7, 7; futures easy; March 7.52; Sept. 7.49.

CLEARING HOUSE
NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Liberty bonds closed:
3½'s 99.24.
First 4's 86.04.
Second 4's 85.10.
First 4¼'s 86.10.
Second 4¼'s 85.20.
Third 4¼'s 85.10.
Fourth 4¼'s 85.68.
Victory 4¾'s 95.54.
Victory 3¾'s 95.32.

OBITUARY

Louis Weiss
One of Waverly's life-long citizens, Louis Weiss, died at his home there Saturday afternoon after a long illness of complications and infirmities. Mr. Weiss was 80 years of age. He was always active in G. A. R. circles in Pike county and was well known throughout the county.

Two children, Mrs. Adam Heilenbein and George Weiss, survive. George Weiss, formerly of this city, now lives in Waverly. Louis Weiss of the Excelsior shoe factory, Earl and Paul Weiss, formerly of this city, now of Waverly, are grandsons of the deceased.

Funeral services were held Monday, with burial in Waverly cemetery.

George Craig Funeral
The body of George Craig, former Scioto county resident, who died in Arizona last week, is expected to arrive here tonight about midnight via the N. & W.

The body will be taken to the home of Charles Noel on Scioto Trail, from where the funeral will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. N. E. Butler of Trinity church will have charge of the last rites. Burial will be in Carey's Run cemetery.

Your Tribute To The Deceased
Your tribute to the deceased should be one that you can pleasantly remember and one that will cause you no regrets. Our, increasing business pays a tribute to our satisfactory service.
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The present attitude of the buying public makes it imperative that every retailer should advertise more forcibly. It's a constant loss of money to use wrong methods in advertising and dangerous besides. Why not get full value from your appropriation?

Here is a proposition of double interest to Portsmouth business men who need immediate forceful and thoroughly effective organization, general sales and special sales and local advertising or out of the ordinary publicity campaigns in this county.

This new agency is ready to give such service which will prove an investment instead of an expense. A connection will be made with only one of any line of business—thus eliminating competition by the same methods.

Call 1276-Y mention an appointment for Mr. Newcomer or mail an inquiry to

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"Well, since my friends tell me I have improved so I don't look like the same man, I think it's about time I was recommending Tanlac, for that's the medicine that did the work for me" said Andrew Higgins, of 805 Bush St., Toledo.

"For several years I suffered terribly with rheumatism in my right arm and shoulder, and it was especially bad during the winter months. My arm became so stiff and sore I could hardly use it, and my wrist and hand were as stiff as a poker, and swelled to twice their normal size. I was in such awful pain I would just walk the floor night after night, unable to sleep, and almost driven to distraction. I tried everything I heard of, but got no relief, and had to lay off from my work from time to time.

"One day I noticed a statement about Tanlac that was so like my case that I began taking the medicine and I could tell I was improving from the very first. It has only taken six bottles to do away entirely with that awful rheumatism, and I'm now back on the job every day feeling fine. I have actually gained five pounds in weight, too, and sleep like a log every night. You can put me down as a booster for Tanlac, for I certainly don't hesitate to speak a good word for it."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy and the leading druggists in every town.—Adv.

New York Subtreasury Ceases To Exist

NEW YORK, December 6.—Conformity to the provisions of an act of congress abolishing the various sub-treasuries scattered throughout the country, the New York sub-treasury will cease to exist after the close of business today.

The local branch of the federal reserve board will take possession of the building. Many of the sub-treasury employes, now numbering less than 100, will be taken over by the Federal Reserve Bank and the change will be effected without disturbance to the country's chief financial center.

The New York sub-treasury, in the very heart of the city's financial district, was established in 1846. Its vaults have been repository of countless billions of dollars in gold, silver and paper money issued by this government.

It is safe to buy at Baldwin's. 6tf

Chief X-Rayed

Noah Shaffer of Lawshe was a visitor in the city Saturday to have his chest examined and X-rayed.

Drunkenness Chief Cause For Desertion

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Drunkenness continued to be the principal cause for trial of enlisted men of the navy for desertion or overstaying leave during the past fiscal year, according to the annual report of Rear Admiral George B. Clark, judge advocate general to Secretary Daniels today.

Of 1,725 such cases during the year pleas of drunkenness were entered in 458 cases, says the report. The excuse "having a good time" was given in 302 cases. Homesickness caused ninety sailors to take "French" leave and in eight cases the plea was entered that the work on board ship was too hard.

More than 41,000 cases were tried by court martial during the year.

The tempering of justice with mercy was urged by Admiral Clark who recommended a more speedy trial of prisoners and an effort on the part of commanding officers to cut down the number of courts martial by taking care of their own punishments.

The Judge Advocate General also recommended that all legislation having to do with the legal system or administration of justice in the navy be prepared in his department.

Back With C. & O.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., December 6.—After an absence of several years, devoted to the operating end of the coal game, John D. Davis has returned to his early love and has gone back to transportation and the Chesapeake & Ohio. Mr. Davis who left the railroad several years ago to become connected with the Amherst Coal Company, returned to the road December 1, as chairman of the car allotment commission.

Decision Means Success

Success in life depends far more upon decision of character than upon the possession of what is called genius. The man who is perpetually hesitating as to which of two things he will do, will do neither.—William Wirt.

28 IDLE HENS NOW LAY 27 EGGS A DAY

And This Was in Cold Winter Weather. Plan Is Simple

"I fed Dan Sang to my 28 hens that were not laying. But they are laying now. I receive as high as 27 eggs a day and never less than 22."—Mrs. Jessie Davidson, Yates Center, Kan.

Mrs. Davidson wrote this letter in February. Figure her profit on two dozen eggs a day from hens that "wouldn't lay." Well maybe you the same offer we made her. Here it is:

Give your hens Dan Sang and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply tell us and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Dan Sang (Chinese for egg-laying) is a scientific tonic and conditioner. It is daily given in the food, improves the hen's health and makes her stronger and more active. It tones up the egg-laying organs, and gets the eggs no matter how cold or wet the weather.

You can obtain Dan Sang from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send $1.04 (includes war tax) for a package by mail. Barrett-Dugger Co., 214 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

Moonshiners Shot Way To Liberty

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., December 6.—Despite a cordon of United States revenue officers that surrounded them, six moonshiners last night shot their way to liberty in an exciting pistol battle with revenue officers at Ranger, W. Va., after two of their number had been captured by the raiders, according to details of the raid which became known here Saturday following the return of the raiding party to Huntington.

Two men were captured and were bound over to the action of the federal grand jury under $1,000 bond when they were arraigned Friday before U. S. Commissioner J. P. Douglass. The others made good their escape.

Six revenue officers were making a raid in the hills near Ranger when they suddenly came upon eight men operating a still, full blast. A pistol battle ensued and six of the moonshiners made good their escape. Two were captured and brought to Huntington.

U. S. ARMY GOODS

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A GREAT BARGAIN IN COATS

We have just received a shipment of Genuine Leather Motoring Coats. They are very heavily lined and equipped with rich fur collars.

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How To Tell A Competent CHIROPRACTOR

After making your Spinal analysis a competent Chiropractor can tell you what organs are affected. Your spine will tell him the story, you tell him nothing, he may not name the disease but the name counts for nothing. For an example there are many kinds of Heart trouble but one CAUSE. The impinged nerve is the cause and to release this impingment Health will be the results.

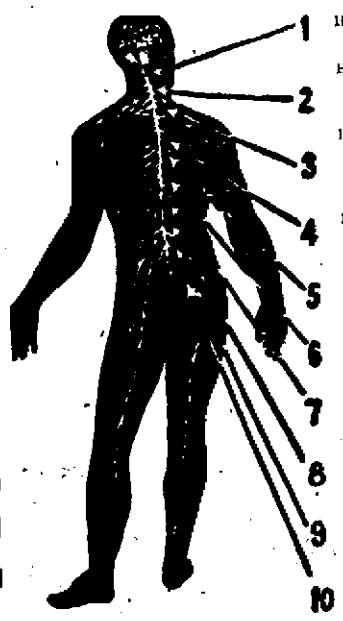
IS A STATE LICENSE A CRITERION TO COMPETENCY? NO.

All who claimed to have practiced Chiropractic five years prior to the passage of the Platt-Ellis Law was granted a state license without examination, some had never attended a Chiropractic College.

If you are contemplating going to a Chiropractor test him out. Don't say you have tried Chiropractic and did not get results, when you possibly didn't know what Chiroprac was. This test will not hurt anyone but will do you good.

Consultation and Spinal Analysis FREE

The Illustration to Left Will Show A Few Of The Many Diseases Caused By Impinged Nerves In Region The Arrow Indicates:



1 Headaches, Epilepsy, Insomnia, Vertigo.
2 Eyes, Ear, Nose and Throat Trouble, Goiter, Tonsilitis.
3 Bronchitis, Heart and Lung Trouble, Rheumatism of Arms and Shoulders.
4 Liver Trouble, pains between the shoulder Blades, Gall Stones, Hiccough.
5 Stomach Trouble of various kinds.
6 Enlargement of Spleen, Pleurisy.
7 Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Skin Diseases and various Kidney Trouble.
8 Appendicitis, Irregular Menses and Bowel trouble, Female trouble.
9 Constipation, Rectal Trouble, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Lumbago.
10 Hip and Pelvic Trouble and Lower Extremities.

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First National Bank Bldg. (Sixth Floor) Portsmouth, Ohio

Christmas Bells To Ring Merrily For Over 6,400 Happy People

FIRST NATIONAL BANK IS MAILING OVER $200,000.00 IN CHRISTMAS CHECKS TO-NIGHT.

Santa Claus will be welcomed by the kiddies in thousands of Portsmouth homes after the 6,400 members of the First National Bank's Christmas Club finish their shopping.

Christmas buying starts with a rush tomorrow when the thrifty Club members receive their checks.

As usual the first thing many people will use their Christmas money for will be to start regular savings accounts in the bank with it. Having once gotten ahead, they intend to keep ahead and have a permanent savings account.

Next will come the purchase of substantial Christmas gifts. The retail stores will be crowded when the Club members start shopping.

Not a few members will make payments on their homes with their Christmas checks, or else will pay their taxes, interest and insurance.

The officers of the First National say that some of the Club members have used the Club for many years, and each year hundreds of new people have joined when they saw how successful their friends were.

It is expected that the new Club which opens Monday December 13th, will be much larger than the 1920 Club. The 1921 Christmas Club will be held open for new members until Saturday, January 8th.—adv.

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All American Conference On Social Disease

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—More than 500 delegates representing ten nations of the Western Hemisphere, were here today for the opening session of the All-American conference on social diseases. It is the first of a series of regional meetings recommended by the Inter-National Health conference held last year at Cannes, France, under the auspices of the League of Red Cross societies and was arranged by the United States Public Health Service.

The conference which will continue five days will endeavor to formulate definite lines for stimulated concerted action in combatting social diseases.

Correlated questions, including the single standard for the two sexes also will be considered.

Business sessions of the conference which will begin tomorrow, will be presided over in turn by Secretary of the Navy Daniel, Secretary of War Baker, and Dr. M. H. Ravenel, president of the American Health Association.

FOUR MURDER TRIALS START

CLEVELAND, O., December 6.—Four first degree murder cases were scheduled to go on trial today.

The drawing of a jury to try George (Hippo) Lesteiner, for the murder of Patrick Gaffney, of East Cleveland, December 18, 1918, began in common pleas Judge Race's court this morning.

Lesteiner was captured October 21, last with two other bandits following an attempt to rob the Bedford branch of the Cleveland Trust Company.

To Discuss Hospital Addition At Open Meeting This Evening

Tonight at seven o'clock a meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce assembly room at which time there will be another discussion on the proposed addition to Hempstead hospital.

All persons interested in the building of the addition and those who are against the addition are urged to attend this meeting at which time the question will be discussed from all angles. With this meeting tonight it is hoped to do away with considerable discussion at the Council Chamber Tuesday night when Council will hold a public hearing on the matter.

Gun-Toting And Whiskey Running In Kentucky Must Stop, Says Governor Morrow

FRANKFORT, KY., Dec. 6—"Gun-toting and whiskey-running in Kentucky must stop," said Gov. Edwin P. Morrow in a statement issued here today. The statement was issued in explanation of his refusal recently to commute jail sentences of a number of persons convicted on carrying concealed weapons and selling or bringing liquor into the state.

"I said before I took office that I would not pardon a single gun-toter or whiskey runner," said the Governor. "And I want it generally known that I meant what I said. Gun toting and whiskey-running in Kentucky must stop.

"It has been the custom for a generation in Kentucky to remit jail sentences of persons convicted of carrying concealed weapons allowing them to pay their fines and go free. As long as I am governor every person sentenced to jail for this crime must serve his time.

"Whiskey runners and bootleggers also need expect no leniency from this office."

The pardons refused during the last few days include appeals of Charles Washington, convicted in the Elliott county circuit court of bootlegging and fined $50 and sentenced to serve 10 days in jail; Jordan Lynch and Richard Coffey of Jamestown, convicted in Clinton county of transporting liquor from Tennessee and sentenced to 30 days in jail; Harry Thompson, of Ashland, convicted of shooting and wounding James Stewart; G. C. Williams of Richmond, fined $200 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for carrying concealed weapons; Allen Howerton, convicted at Shelbyville of attempted bank robbery and sentenced to two years in prison; Clem Abney, 63 years old, sentenced to 20 years in prison for killing Hal Ballard at Hardwick's Creek, Powell county, in 1918, and Charles Randall convicted in Barbourville in 1916 of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Influenza! La Grippe!

Come without warning—travel in epidemics—dangerous and treacherous if neglected.

La grippe frequently affects the lungs and develops a persistent wearing cough, which neglected, is foreboding alike to old and young.

Foley's Honey and Tar spreads warmth and comfort, soothing the inflamed rasping surfaces, easing tightness of the chest, loosening the cough, helping to raise and discharge phlegm without exhausting effort. It is also good for tickling throat, hoarseness, bronchial coughs, night coughs and chronic coughs of elderly people.

"After having an attack of la grippe, it left me with a severe cough, and I tried everything. I lost in weight and got so thin that it looked as though I would never get well. I tried Foley's Honey and Tar and two bottles cured me. I am now well and back in my normal weight."—F. G. Drew, Richford, Indiana.

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Skin Troubles Soothed With Cuticura

Soap, Ointment, Talcum, 25c everywhere. Samples free of Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

A Christmas Bazaar will be held at the Calvary Baptist church, Hutchins street, Dec. 7, 8, 9 and 10th.

It will be held afternoon and evenings, Tuesday from 5 to 7 p. m. a fish and roast beef supper will be held. On Friday afternoon and evening there will be a bake sale.

MOTHER GRAY'S POWDERS RENEFIT MANY CHILDREN

Thousands of mothers have found Mother Gray's Sweet Powders an excellent remedy for children complaining of headaches, colds, feverishness, stomach troubles and other irregularities from which children suffer during these days and excellent results are accomplished by its use. Used by mothers for over 30 years. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

Salesman Home

Eustace Stevens, a salesman for the Irving Drew company has arrived home from a trip through Indiana and Michigan.

Shoulder Broken In Fall

Mrs. Ross Simon of 1118 Harrisonville avenue New Boston is slowly recovering from a broken right shoulder sustained in a fall at her home recently. An X-ray was taken by Virgil Fowler to determine the extent of the injury, the X-ray showing the shoulder to be broken.

A Bad Cough

If neglected, often leads to serious trouble. Safeguard your health, relieve your distress and soothe your irritated throat by taking

PISO'S

Ironton Visitor

Thomas Mayne of Ironton was a business visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

Alfred Rockhold, carpenter of Sciotoville remains seriously ill. He has been ill sometime.

Saw Big Game

Manager Gus Putzek, Richard McKinney, Lou Marsh and Sam and Harry Phillips were among the local football fans who saw the Wellston-Ironton game in the latter city Sunday.

NOTICE

To the stockholders of The Portsmouth Veneer and Panel Company, an Ohio corporation:

You will take notice that a meeting of the stockholders of said corporations will be held at the Law Office of A. T. Holcomb, No. 9 Turley Building, City of Portsmouth, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 4th, 1921, 3 o'clock P. M.

The principal object of said meeting will be the adoption of a resolution to surrender and abandon its corporate authority also such other matters as may be brought before it; and fully close its business.

By order of the Directors.

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No. 8	New Train Daily	6:00 A. M.
No. 16	Daily	11:35 A. M.
No. 22	Daily	1:00 P. M.
No. 4	Daily	11:34 A. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 7	Daily	9:55 A. M.
No. 23	Daily	6:35 A. M.
No. 15	Daily	3:30 P. M.
No. 29	Daily Does Not Run West of Portsmouth	8:45 P. M.

WEST BOUND

No. 22	Daily	4:00 A. M.
No. 28	Daily except Sunday	7:45 A. M.
No. 27	Daily	2:00 P. M.
No. 35	Daily	8:20 P. M.

EAST BOUND ARRIVE PORTSMOUTH

No. 29	Daily	8:30 A. M.
No. 36		11:45 A. M.
No. 36	Daily, except Sunday	2:20 P. M.
No. 34		11:30 P. M.

City Ticket Office, Sixth St. Opp. P. O.

C&O

In Effect October 31, 1920
By Forty To South Portsmouth

No.		Forty Leaves	Train Leaves
	WESTBOUND		
5	Daily	6:35 A. M.	6:35 A. M.
17	Daily ex. Sun	7:30 A. M.	7:37 A. M.
3	Daily	1:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
7	Daily	2:12 P. M.	2:42 P. M.
1	Daily	10:30 P. M.	10:45 P. M.
	EASTBOUND		
8	Daily	11:19 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
2	Daily	2:06 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
18	Daily ex. Sun	2:22 P. M.	2:32 P. M.
366	Daily	9:20 P. M.	10:50 P. M.
4	Daily	11:25 P. M.	12:05 P. M.

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For morning departures, take the Continental Limited.

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NORMA TALMADGE in 'PANTHEA'

Directed by ALAN DWAN

New Version of Norma Talmadge's "Panthea" Coming to the Lyric. Sensational Drama Which Made Star Famous was Revived Upon Popular Demand.

"Panthea," by all odds the greatest photoplay in which Norma Talmadge starred, has been revived by Selznick Pictures and will be the feature attraction at the Lyric theatre today and tomorrow.

Directed by Allen Dwan, than whom the screen boasts no more prominent figure in production activities, "Panthea" brings with it a plot that is surcharged with all the elements of entertainment—mystery, intrigue, tragedy, romance and humor.

It's all there bound together in an enthralling story of the great love of a Russian woman for a man in whose abilities she sincerely believes. So deep is the love of Panthea for this man that she sacrifices her honor in order to raise him to the pinacle of success of which she dreams.

"Panthea" is a fast moving story with the requisite punch to give it a place among the great films of all time. It has for a back ground the shadows of a Nihilist-torn Russia in the days of before chaos held the land in its tragic grasp.

The role of Panthea will be remembered throughout Miss Talmadge's screen career as her crowning achievement.

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A Picture That Will Stir Your Very Soul and Penetrate the Innermost Recesses of Your Heart is "The Devil's Pass-Key," at The Temple Tonight and Tuesday. It's One of the Greatest Pictures of All Times. A Vanity Fair Maids Comedy, Too.

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It has thrills that make you grip your seat with the daring of them; the wondrous gowns that will be the envy of every woman who sees them; wonderful scenic effects that will make you sit in mute admiration of the sheer beauty of them; enough of the comedy element to drive back the unbidden tear and the queer lump in your throat that are bound to come from the wonderful pathos of this super-effort of the greatest director of modern times—Eric Von Stroheim, the man who made "Blind Husbands" and who was the principal factor in making "The Heart of Humanity."

This is one of the biggest pictures the Temple has ever presented, and despite the fact that we are paying an enormous price for it, we are not going to increase the admission price, but we are depending on your appreciation of our efforts to give you pictures of this type to enable us to break even on it.

Plan Early Peace In Ireland

DUBLIN, Dec. 6—(By the Associated Press)—Determined efforts to bring about an early peace in Ireland are being made here. Conversations have been in progress more than a week and hope was expressed last night by some of those engaged in the negotiations that within another week a tangible basis of settlement might be reached.

The chief intermediatary at work is the Rev. Patrick Joseph Clune, Bishop of Perth, Australia, who, it is understood has been asked by Premier Lloyd George to sound out Sinn Fein sentiment and prepare if possible the ground on which a foundation for the peace edifice can be reared.

Washing Won't Rid Head Of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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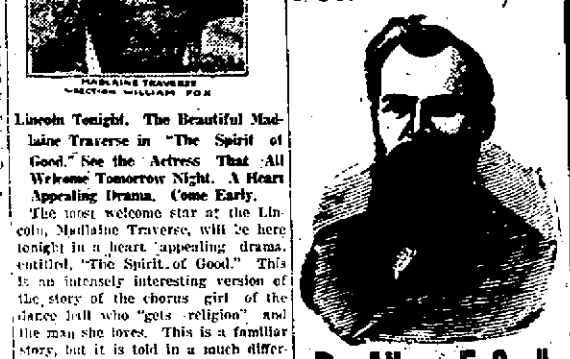
Lincoln Tonight. The Beautiful Madlaine Traverse in "The Spirit of Good." See the Actress That All Welcome Tomorrow Night. A Heart Appealing Drama. Come Early.

The most welcome star at the Lincoln, Madlaine Traverse, will be here tonight in a heart appealing drama, entitled, "The Spirit of Good." This is an intensely interesting version of the story of the chorus girl of the dance hall who "gets religion" and the man she loves. This is a familiar story, but it is told in a much different way this time. "The Spirit of Good" carries with it a lesson that will not soon be forgotten. See it tomorrow evening, sure. There will be no advance in admission for this special feature.



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who suffer from Sick Headache, Melancholia, Spinal trouble, special diseases or having any deviations from health caused by irregularities, weakness, or disease peculiar to women, should consult this specialist.

Ovarian or womb troubles treated without the knife. If you have been advised by any one to undergo a surgical operation for womb or ovarian difficulties, rupture or piles, do not listen to it and have your life endangered by the knife, but call on or write for consulting this specialist.

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It matters not what your ailment may be, or how long standing, if your future health and happiness are at stake consult this doctor specialist.

It matters not what the ill may be. It matters not what discouraging reports may have been made from other directions; it matters not if you have been told that you are incurable, go and consult this eminent doctor and if there is the finest thread upon which to hang a hope you will find hope there with the treatment that will lead you to health, contentment and happiness.

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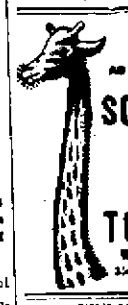
..THE MOVIES..

The Biggest Double Program the East Liberty Theatre has ever Offered is Its Attraction Tonight and Tuesday Offering Jane and Katherine Lee in "The Circus Imps" and Alice Joyce in "The Vice of Fools," Her First Special Picture for the New Year. Positive First Showing.

Two of the biggest attractions the Eastland theatre has ever shown will be offered on their program beginning tonight. Jane and Katherine Lee, known to practically every movie fan in Portsmouth and the idols of hundreds of children in this city will be shown in their newest photoplay "The Circus Imps." As the title implies it is mostly a story of the circus life and with the Lee Kids performing their funny stunts it will more than delight ever yone who sees it. The other feature brings us Alice Joyce one of our most popular stars in her first big 1921 super-picture, "The Vice of Fools."

Human beings are largely the result of a series of follies. The average person chases madly after a mess of pottage and lives to repent his foolishness. In "The Vice of Fools" Alice Joyce is seen as a young woman who allows folly to get the better of wisdom and the result is a series of complications that have unusual dramatic value. There are many light spots and much subtle humor in the action which tends to emphasize the emotional scenes and gives Miss Joyce a scope seldom witnessed in stories of this nature. The chief virtue of "The Vice of Fools" is its delineation of life as it exists. The story of Marion and Cameron is that of hundreds of other headstrong young persons who allow infatuation to get the better of common sense and draw those around them into a network of circumstances from which it becomes difficult to become extricated. The climax comes as a surprise and is not what one expects.

Don't miss this big double program and be sure and come early.



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FINLAND TO GET IN

GENEVA—Finland will probably be admitted to the League of Nations, committee examining applications having passed favorably on its request for membership.

Harding Addressed Elks' Memorial

BEDFORD, Va.—President-Elect Harding addressed audience at Memorial services at Elks' national home.

MAY McAVOY
BRUCE GORDON
in
THE HOUSE OF THE TOLLING BELL
A Blackton Production

At the Exhibit Theatre for Two Days, Starting Tonight, J. Stuart Blackton Presents "The House of the Tolling Bell," A Romance of Love and Mystery in Louisiana. A Drama to Haunt Your Memory Like Ghostly Bell Chimes. See It Sure.

"The House of the Tolling Bell" is the title of the photoplay which features the program of the Exhibit tonight. May McAvoy, the petite and charming star of "Man and His Woman," is the featured player of this newest Blackton-Paths production, ably supported by Bruce Gordon.

The theme of "The House of the Tolling Bell" deals with the chivalry, the passion and the superstition of the South.

The plot hinges upon the division of an extensive estate among the heirs, upon the death of its old master. One stipulation of the will demands that the heir who enters the manor house must live in it for one year. To the natives of the community this abode, known as "The House of the Tolling Bell" bears an evil reputation. Woe to the stranger who subjects himself to the "bad luck" which comes to everyone who lives in this House of the Tolling Bell.

The solution is such an amazing climax to so thrilling a story that to tell it would spoil the enjoyment of the picture.

The Mannola, the player piano that is all but human, is the only player piano that was ever awarded the Grand Prize, London, 1911. Hear it. Sold only at the Baldwin salesroom 822 Chillicothe St. 6tf

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LARRY SEMON

Big Double Program At the Strand Tonight! Larry Semon in His Funniest Picture, "The Suitor," and Earle Williams in a Wonderful Story, "The Hornet's Nest."

"The Suitor," a Larry Semon comedy, which will be shown at the Strand tonight, is one of the most striking productions of its type ever seen.

To begin with, Larry takes the reflection of his sweetheart in a big mirror for the real girl, and rushing at it, he strikes the glass. Then, when the little Hard hidden unbeknown to him in the bouquet he brought, crawls down the back of the girl's mother, there is a tremendously striking scene in which Larry is the thing struck. At the end of this he is thrown out of the Manybucks home. He arises and assumes a striking attitude, which is lost when a large policeman with a striking personality strolls up.

There is one good thing about Larry, though—he never goes on strike when there's a job of laugh-making for him to do. Therefore we have this striking production now. In addition we are also showing Earle Williams in "The Hornet's Nest," so don't miss this program.

There is nothing in the world quite so nourishing or helpful as

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LEGAL NOTICE

Mayme McKinley, whose place of residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Edward McKinley has filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 3477, praying for a divorce on the ground of gross neglect of duty, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks after the date of this first publication.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1920.

T. C. HEATH,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Nov. 15-6 Mons.

NOTICE

Herbert Burgess will take notice that Clara Burgess has filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Scioto County, Ohio, for a divorce from said Herbert Burgess, on the ground that defendant has been guilty of adultery.

Said cause will be heard on or after the 15th day of December, 1920.

CLARA BURGESS,
By W. B. SPRAGUE, Attorney.
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NEGRO HANGED TO POLE

TULSA, Okla.—Unidentified negro hanged to telegraph pole at Holdenville following his arrest for attacking 67 year old white woman.

ELIMINATE "TRUSTY" SYSTEM

STEUBENVILLE—Escape of six men from county jail, aided by trusties acting as guards, resulted in elimination of "trusty" system.

EASTLAND THEATRE

Tonight and Tomorrow

Jane and Katherine Lee In

"The Circus Imps"

Jane and Katherine, the Two Little Imps, back again in the best picture they ever made.

—AND—

Alice Joyce

—IN—

"The Voice Of Fools"

Miss Joyce's Newest Picture

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DON'T MISS THIS SHOW

Shows Tonight Start at 6, 7:30 and 9 o'clock.

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Fine Program Tonight

Following is the program to be given at Pleasant Green Baptist church this evening:

Instrumental—Evelyn Haley.
Trio—Mrs. Haldeman, Mrs. Moore, Wm. E. Haley.
Recitation—Nettie Williams.
Solo—Miss Zelda White.
Recitation—Mrs. Thomas Taylor.

Mrs. Harris of Springfield, Ohio, will have several selections which will be a rare treat to the musical lovers of Portsmouth. A very large audience will undoubtedly hear this charming singer. The program will start promptly at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Thieves Ransack House

MANCHESTER, Dec. 6—At seven o'clock Sunday night two men with drawn revolvers entered the home of Mr. Wm. Moore and commanded Harold Thomas Moore to be quiet. They ransacked the entire home, found nothing, jumped into an auto and escaped.

Seventy dollars of a $80 pension check was in a stand drawer that was covered with a mattress thrown from a bed by the bandits. No clue, but one of the men is thought to know local affairs.

Points Firearms; Is Fined

Idah Bumpus, negro, was convicted of a charge of pointing firearms in Municipal court Monday and Acting Judge E. G. Millar assessed a fine of $50 and costs against the accused.

Bumpus was arrested on complaint of his sweetheart, Mary Rodgers, also colored, 1015 Eleventh street, who told the court that Bumpus shoved a loaded pistol into her face Saturday night and threatened to kill her. Bumpus denied her statement and declared that Miss Jones would have married him but for the interference of others.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday, 7:00—Choir, Special rehearsal Christmas Cantata. Girls Gymnasium Work.

Tuesday, 7:00—Friendly Fellows at the Gymnasium.

7:30—Christian Endeavor Cabinet at the Parsonage.

Wednesday, 7:15—Midweek Prayer Service.

8:00—Monthly meeting of Official Board.

Thursday, 7:30—Otterbein Guild meets at the Boren Home, 1733 Offmore.

7:30—Philathea Class meets with their teacher, Mr. J. F. Meake, 1703 Hutchins street. There will be a Passing Party after the business meeting.

Friday, 2:00—Women's Missionary Society meets with Mrs. Mary Phillips 2207 Eighth St.

7:30—Choir Rehearsal at the Church.

7:30—Boy Scouts at the Gym.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Sunday the Bible School attendance was several hundred over the total of a week ago. First Christian maintains her lead by having over 900 present each Sunday. All the schools are showing a decided increase which is always the case about this time of the year. Sunday's record:

First Christian	920
Trinity	704
Second Presbyterian	562
Marty	448
Franklin Ave. M. E.	390
First Presbyterian	382
First Evangelical	381
United Brethren	354
First Baptist	340
Bigelow	338
Grandview Ave. Christian	307
New Boston Christian	205
Wheelersburg M. E.	192
Sciotoville Christian	169
Central Presbyterian	165
Calvary Baptist	162
New Boston Baptist	155
New Boston M. E.	154
Sciotoville M. E.	143
Sciotoville Baptist	118
Kendall Ave. Baptist	106
Pleasant Green Baptist	75
Men Chapel	60

One Fault of Optimists.

Some people are such optimists that they lose their temper with you if you don't cheer up to suit 'em.

Not Lasting.

"Tears of the burning deceitfulness of the day go up in smoke."—Exchange.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Sunday morning at the M. E. church Miss Helen Page beautifully sang "The Holy City," with Miss Maurita Sikes as accompanist.

There will be a called meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home Mrs. Amaseita Eakins, of Main street.

Oscar Cortell who has been quite ill with typhoid fever, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Scott have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schuler and son Randall of Harrisonville Pike.

Frank Martin has returned to his work in Huntington after a visit with house folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Carr have returned to their home in Praise, Ky., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carr of Logan street have received the announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shaffer (Nora Carr) of Youngstown. He has been named Elmer Eugene Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Bloom street entertained with a six o'clock dinner Thursday in honor of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Cleveland, who are enjoying their first visit here in ten years. Covers were laid for the following guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and daughter, Vivian Elaine, of Portsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Otey Oiler and Children, Olive Jane and Magdaline, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Idell and children Ada, Henry and Hazel of Portsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Corlett and children, Eugene, Helen and Billie of Portsmouth.

Concluding their visit here Mr. and Mrs. Martin will spend the winter in Florida.

The S. H. S. boys basketball team went down in defeat Saturday opening at the hands of the Ashland team, on the latter's floor, the score being 21 to 22.

Robert Hood of Walnut street who has been employed in Columbus for several months has returned home.

Christian Church Notes

Class number seve will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Waddell, of Main street.

The regular prayer meeting will be held Wednesday evening at seven o'clock.

The choir, directed by Mrs. Winifred Bennett, will meet for practice immediately following this service.

On Thursday the Ladies Union will hold an all day meeting in the church. Each member is urged to attend this meeting. Come and bring your lunch.

On Friday afternoon Sections one and two will meet at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wohler of Bloom street, had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wohler and Miss Katherine Walden of Portsmouth, and Miss Kitty McNamara of Columbus.

A large audience greeted the members of the Junior Missionary Society of Bigelow church at the M. E. church last evening, when they gave a beautiful pageant, "Queen Esther's Choice." This was given under the direction of Miss Lucile Graham. An offering was taken, which will be applied to the pledge of the Sunday school to the Centenary movement.

The men of the M. E. church will meet at the church Tuesday evening to work on the basement. A portion of the basement will be arranged to be used as a gymnasium.

WHEELERSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pfarr and daughter, Miss Carrie and sons John and Phillip, Jr., spent Saturday with Mrs. Pfarr's mother, Mrs. John Sowers of Portsmouth.

The Men's Bible class of the M. E. church will meet this evening at 7:30 at the home of A. B. Preston. This class which is taught by Rev. H. A. Kirk, will organize at this meeting.

Miss Garnett Calhoun has returned from a visit with friends at Nauvoo.

About thirty-five members were present at the meeting of the United Workers' class of the M. E. church Friday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pfarr. Miss Garnet Jenkins was in charge of the study of the Sunday school lesson. This was followed with a very interesting talk by the Rev. H. A. Kirk. The place of the next meeting will be announced later.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clarence Walter, with Mrs. C. W. Blonehi, Mrs. Isaac Ferguson and Mrs. Phillip Pfarr as assistant hostesses.

FAMILY TONIGHT

J. Karren Kerrigan Jr.
"The House of Whispers"

"Living's not so high," says Grandma,
"When you can get Quality Bread."

"There's more slices in that loaf than in several of the ordinary size and it costs less.

"Besides they tell me it's easier to get quality into big loaves, and I believe it, because this one sure is quality.

"I like it and so does the whole family."
Buy a loaf of "Quality Bread," 10 cents.

"It's Bigger and Better
A. W. ADAMS

Nine Stills Destroyed

LEXINGTON, KY., Dec. 6—While deputy United States marshals served warrants on twenty or more men wanted on charges of moonshining in the "South America" section of Whitley county today, four members of the band with whom revenue officers fought a pitched battle Saturday, were arraigned today before United States Commissioner Rollins at Pineville. Word from the scene of the fight said that it now was believed no one was injured on either side during the fighting.

The battle, according to accounts received at the prohibition director's office here, was participated in by about thirty moonshiners opposing fourteen revenue officers. The officers were attacked from ambush as they proceeded up a trail that leads to the top of Pine mountain.

In the first exchange of shots one alleged moonshiner was seen to fall headlong and was believed to have been shot. The officers paid no attention to him in their pursuit of other men who fled under fire of the high powered army rifles with which the raiders were equipped and when they returned later he had disappeared. Doubts as to whether or not the man had been injured were expressed today.

The men being sought by United States marshals today are members of the party of moonshiners who were captured by the officers, but released because the party was not large enough to handle them, it was stated.

Nine stills with a capacity of 50 to 100 gallons were destroyed by the raiders within a radius of nine miles, they reported to Chief Prohibition Agent U. G. McFarland, who arrived at Pineville late yesterday afternoon. Five thousand gallons of beer and several gallons of whiskey were destroyed, no more trouble is expected, officers said today in long distance conversations with persons in this city.

DELAY ACTION TO STRIKE OUT ARTICLE TEN

GENEVA, December 6.—(By the Associated Press)—Consideration of an amendment to the covenant of the League of Nations which would eliminate Article X, has been postponed by the assembly of the League of Nations until the next meeting. This amendment which was proposed by C. J. Doherty, a member of the Canadian delegation, has been referred to a committee which has been instructed to submit a report when the assembly holds its next session. The resolution of the Argentine delegation providing that all sovereign states, unless they remain outside of their own will, shall be recognized as members of the league was the first item on the agenda of the assembly today.

It was planned also if possible, to take up the report prepared by Rene Viviani, of France, and N. W. Rowell, of Canada, on the relations between the assembly and the council of the league.

After today's session had opened, Paul Hymans the president, presented Senor Fuerredon's letter to the assembly and said he had expressed personally to the head of the Argentine mission his deep regret at the step it had taken. Lord Robert Cecil, delegate for the Union of South Africa, then took the floor, saying:

"If other delegations would be allowed to take the same steps when their proposals are not accepted, it would be impossible for the league to make any progress."

The act of no single country, Lord Robert added, "can diminish our faith in the success of the league, after the great strides that have been made toward the object in view. All that is needed are courage, candor and consideration for one another."

It is declared here that virtually every delegate regards Argentina's action as an error in tactics.

After Lord Robert's address, the assembly proceeded to discuss today's agenda without further reference to the withdrawal of Argentina.

H. Branting, of Sweden, asked that Mr. Doherty's amendment, eliminating Article X from the covenant of the league, and that presented by the Argentina delegation regarding the admission of all states be sent to committee without debate for study. A report on them will be submitted to the next session of the assembly. A special committee would take them under consideration. This motion was adopted by the assembly.

During the discussion Mr. Doherty said that while the Canadian delegation felt that its amendment was one that might be discussed now, as the opinion seemed to be that all amendments should be dealt with in the same manner, the Canadian delegate would not insist upon immediate consideration of its proposition.

Harding Addresses

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here today under somewhat unusual circumstances and there is a delicacy about it that one in my position cannot escape except through some form of self effacement which does not seem quite possible.

"No member of this body could be more reluctant to leave it. I may say to this senate that I come here with a very high respect for this body, and I am leaving it with greater respect than that with which I came. If one could always direct his own political fortunes to his liking, I should have preferred my membership here to any office a citizen may hold in this republic or elsewhere in the world.

"I like the freedom, the association, the patriotic sense of responsibility which abides here. I am conscious of the great place which congress holds under our constitution and particularly sensible to the obligations of the senate. When my responsibilities begin in the executive capacity, I shall be as mindful of the senate's responsibilities as I have been zealous of them as a member, at the same time, to be just as insistent about the responsibilities of the executive. Our government fortune does not lie in any surrender at either end of the avenue, but in the coordination and co-operation which lessened the two in a great and truly representative popular government.

"This brings me to the thought particularly in my mind. Something has been said about the 'Senatorial oligarchy'. Of course every one here knows that to be a bit of highly imagination and harmless fiction. But I do recognize how essential is the helpfulness of the senate in the making of a successful administration.

"I want to express today the wish of a colleague for the confidence and the co-operation of the members of this body in the four years which begin next March 4. I do not limit this sincere respect to this side of the aisle. One cannot promise agreement in all things with an opposite party which is sometimes incidently wrong, but we may find common ground in the spirit of service, and I hope for that agreeable and courteous and oft times helpful relationship with the opposite side which has added to the delights of fellow service during the past six years.

"We are facing no easy task. We have our full part in the readjustment of human affairs, after the world tumult. We have our tasks at home, we have our part in the inevitable work of the civilized world. I am sure that the necessity of wise solution will inspire us to work together, to take counsel counsel, to be tolerant of one another and give the best which is in all of us to attain the ends which become our republic at home and will maintain its high place among the nations of the earth.

"With propriety I cannot venture upon any suggestions now, even though I am speaking as a member of this body. Three months of the present administration remain, and I would have house and senate join cordially in making them fruitful rather than wasted months. There is so much to be done, and we have already had so much of delay, that I should like unanimous recognition that there are no party ends to serve, but precious days are calling for service to our own country.

"I cannot resist the repetition of my regret that my association on this floor and in committee rooms is ending today. It has been a happy and a proud experience. Let me express the hope, to one and all, that, though there comes a change in official relationship it will not interrupt our co-operations, nor deprive us of the personal fellowship which I have found to be a great compensation for the sacrifices of conscientious public service."

Before beginning his address from the vice-president's rostrum, Senator Harding, holding his eye-glasses and a copy of his prepared address in his hand, gave a brief extemporaneous statement of gratification over his reception. He said it afforded him an opportunity "to say to you rather informally some of the things that I want to say that I could probably utter in no other way."

Mr. Harding came to the capitol building at 11 o'clock and with Senator Fall, of New Mexico, called on Mr. Lodge for a short consultation about the day's proceedings. The conference was the first of many which the president-elect will hold during his visit here today and tomorrow. His friends expect him to talk with practically every senator on the Republican side and with many of the more influential Democrats before he returns to Marion.

It is understood that although legislative problems of the session will be the chief topic of discussion the president-elect will take occasion to feel out sentiment on the League of Nations question. Aside from his senatorial colleagues, the first callers to be seen by the president-elect were former Senators Weeks, of Massachusetts, and Sutherland, of Utah, both of whom have been his close advisers since his nomination, and who have been prominently mentioned in gossip about cabinet appointments. They called at Mr. Lodge's office while Mr. Harding was there and joined in the consultation between the president-elect and the senate leader.

Congress Convenes

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The senate was in session only 25 minutes, while the house remained in session fifty minutes. Both dispensed with routine business, the house adjourning out of respect to members who have died since the last session.

The house presented a turbulent scene throughout its session. Speaker Gillett maintained order with difficulty even after the roll call. He attempted none while the members were supposed to be answering to their names because none remained seated. They milled around the chamber as if the adjournment had been a few years instead of a few months.

A total of 351 members answered the roll call at the conclusion of which eight members were sworn in to fill seats made vacant by deaths or resignations.

After the roll call in the senate, Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, presented the usual resolution providing for committees to notify the president that congress was in session, and then before adjournment asked that President-elect Harding be heard.

Sixty-seven senators answered the roll call, and following the announcement by the vice president, Senator Glass, of Virginia, and Heflin, of Alabama, were elected to fill vacancies going to the vice president's rostrum and sworn in.

Three Police Are Killed

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and Detectives J. Mills Jackson and Detective Lester Gorman of San Francisco. Jackson after being wounded, shot Boyd.

The three other persons under arrest are: Charles Valenti, owner of the house in San Francisco to which officers said, a score of young women had been enticed and attacked; Terence Fitts, who has served three terms in penitentiaries, and Dorothy Quinlan, of San Francisco.

For hours last night the prisoners listened to the shouts of a throng outside demanding vengeance for the killing of the officers. A group of men, carrying a telegraph pole for a battering ram, attempted to rush the front door and later another group approached the jail door with a heavy iron beam. Officers broke up both attacks, largely by use of their fists.

Today officers planned to confront the three arrested men with three young women brought here from San Francisco in an effort to identify Valenti and Boyd as having been among those who attacked them.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. Dec. 6—The shooting to death of three officers at Santa Rosa was a development of a search by San Francisco police for members of a group of men who are accused of having subjected a score of women to indignities and brutalities at a house in Howard street, in one of the more densely settled districts.

The first of these attacks to come to police notice was when a young woman on November 24, after a night of horrible experiences, jumped through a window and told an officer, a girl companion still was held in the house. The police raided the place, sent the second girl to a hospital, where she still is, and arrested five men. The girls said eight men had been concerned in the attacks. The five men arrested were held in bonds of $100,000 each, said to be the highest ever fixed in a San Francisco court.

C. & O. MOVING

The C. & O. Railway Company will open their new freight station, 316-318 Fourth street, Blee building, at 8 a. m. Wednesday, December 8, for receipt and delivery of freight.

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SECOND CUT IN BREAD PRICES

CLEVELAND, O., December 6—The second cut in the price of bread in two weeks was announced today. Pound loaves retailed at twelve cents, while sixteen cents was asked for pound and a half loaves, a reduction of one cent. Prices of cake and rolls were not affected by today's reduction.

CARD OF THANKS

Carlin Martin and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kimbler hereby express their appreciation of the great kindness shown by friends and neighbors in the late bereavement of wife and daughter, Mrs. Bessie Kimbler Martin.

Uncle Eben.

"De trouble about good advice," said Uncle Eben, "is dat a man is liable to fit to enjoyin' de fuck dat somebody is worryin' about 'im."

PENNY ANTE — The Wife Anticipates A Clean Up

BOWLING

MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE

Teams Standing

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Bowers	20	10	.667
Players	20	10	.667
Brummels	19	11	.633
Wholesalers	19	11	.633
Tramps	17	13	.567
Waltons	16	14	.533
Royals	16	14	.533
Auroras	15	15	.500
Mutuals	12	18	.400
Horrables	9	21	.300
Surveyors	8	22	.267
Movies	6	21	.200

Games This Week

Monday, December 6.—Royals vs. Movies, Play House alleys.

Tuesday, December 7.—Brummels vs. Surveyors, Play House alleys.

Wednesday, December 8.—Auroras vs. Bowers, Play House alleys.

Thursday, December 9.—Players vs. Wholesalers, Play House alleys.

Friday, December 10.—Mutuals vs. Tramps, Play House alleys.

Friday, December 10.—Waltons vs. Horrables, Pequaw alleys.

The race in the Masonic Bowling League has narrowed down to a contest as close as a mustard plaster. Four teams are bunched, and it is hard to tell rother from which. The Bowers and Players are tied for first place with a percentage of 667, while the Brummels and Wholesalers are neck and neck for second honors with .633 as their portion. The Tramps, since the acquisition of "Doc" Baughman are moving along nicely and are within striking distance of the top most ring of the ladder. The way their anchor man, C. E. Nodier, is traveling, they are going to be hard to hold in check. The Waltons are right next door and would be up there in the king row were it not for the penalizing they received as a chastisement. All in all the race is some handicaper and the question of superiority will not be determined until the race is completely run out. The end of the first half is a long way off, and some of the teams down at the bottom have a chance. The fact that so many of the teams are showing up with "blinds" is a source of great concern on the part of the directors, and of course the teams thus handicapped are beaten before they start.

JUST DOPE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6—The University of Pennsylvania football team will not have the Navy on its 1921 schedule, Wharton Sinkler, chairman of the football committee, announced today. There has been considerable discussion of a contest, but Coach Heisman is opposed to making the schedule any harder than it was this year. The last time the Red and Blue team clashed with the Middies was in 1916, when the score resulted in a 7-7 tie.

Pennsylvania's schedule has not yet been announced.

President Herrmann of the Reds will leave Cincinnati Tuesday for New York, where he will meet Manager Moran and they will attend the annual meeting of the National league. While there they probably will pull off a big trade that will mean the revamping of the Red team.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6—Reports that waivers had been asked on Claude Hendrix, pitcher, and Charles (Buck) Herzog, second baseman, of the Chicago National League team, were current tonight. President William Veeck, of the Chicago Club, refused to confirm or deny the truth of the reports.

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 6—Maurice A. Longworth, of Hicksville, was chosen by the members of the 1926 Ohio Wesleyan football team to lead the team representing the Red and Black in 1927. The election was held yesterday and the result announced at the banquet given in honor of the football team.

Longworth has been playing a steady brand of ball at left end all season and was one of the most dependable men for that position.

The Wellston football eleven romped all over the Lombards of Ironton Sunday, the score being 21 to 0. The game was played in Beechwood Park and was witnessed by a big crowd.

The Lombards made a touchdown but it was not allowed as the runner, who crossed Wellston's line toward the ball to the umpire before he touched the ball to the ground. Now this player enters the hall of "fame" with one, Fred Merkle.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 6—President Kickey of the Cardinals was in the city yesterday enroute from a visit at his old home in Portsmouth, to St. Louis. He will attend the annual meeting of the National League in New York next week. Mr. Rickey expressed himself as delighted with the appointment of Judge Landis as the High Commissioner of baseball and said that the Judge will receive the cordial support of every magnate in baseball.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 6—Representatives of colleges and universities in the Ohio conference met here today to draft schedules for the various sports and talk over plans and rules for the coming year.

Early arrivals predicted that only routine action would be taken at the meeting.

The 1921 schedule probably will be adopted.

CHILLICOTHE, Dec. 6—Principal Smith, of the High School, announced Saturday that the schedule for the C. H. S. basket ball squad for the 1920-1921 season had virtually been completed. It is as follows:

Dec. 17—Waverly at Chillicothe.
Jan. 7—Portsmouth at Portsmouth.
Jan. 14—Hillsboro at Chillicothe.
Jan. 21—Wilmington at Wilmington.
Jan. 28—Greenfield at Greenfield.
Feb. 4—Washington C. H. at Chillicothe.
Feb. 11—Greenfield at Chillicothe.
Feb. 18-19—Greenfield tournament.
Feb. 22—Hillsboro at Hillsboro.
March 4—Wilmington at Chillicothe.
March 11—Portsmouth at Chillicothe.

Ward Hummel is captain of this year's team.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 6—Captain T. C. Wright, 58 years old, of Buffalo, W. Va., a commander of the towboat, Robert C. Gilham, was hit by a bullet and killed yesterday when a pistol fell from the holster of Patrolman Edward G. Parr and exploded. The accident took place when the policeman was helping an injured man off the boat.

Capt. Wright was well known here. During the ice gorge in the Ohio two years ago he had the Robert P. Gilham moored just below Biegen Viaduct and when the gorge let go he handled his boat so skillfully that very little damage resulted to it.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 6—"What Yale football needs is the family doctor," says the Yale Alumni Weekly today in a general review of the football season in the university. The Weekly has been receiving the opinions of others on football conditions and now strikes out for itself in suggesting causes and effects.

"In our opinion," says the Weekly, "Yale football does not need a professional specialist to put it on its feet again; the family doctor will respond if called. And by this we mean that while Harvard and Yale have been building up home-coming schools the past few years, Yale has struck out blindly for miracle workers, and forgotten the experience of the days when Yale football was great."

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THE OTHER EXTREME

THE people of the United States must bear a large share of the blame for what came to be known as pyramiding of prices, which sent cost of living to a point entirely out of proportion to the law of supply and demand. The excesses in buying were called "an orgy of spending."

Another thing, perhaps even as injurious in its effect as the recklessness with which so many persons spent their money after the armistice lifted the strain of war, is seen in the disposition of the people to engage in what is virtually a buyers' strike.

Retail merchants who stocked up with what they believed would meet the demands of trade find that many lines of goods are not selling, especially seasonable articles, and they are forced to make large reductions in order to save as much as possible from their investments. It should not be forgotten that practically all the present stocks of clothing, footwear and other essential commodities have been created under the highest costs ever known, and these stocks were manufactured, of necessity, some months before the time they were expected to be used.

The public feels that it has a right to buy the necessaries of life at lower prices, but nothing is to be gained ultimately if losses are imposed upon dealers—perhaps ruin to many—by the tendency of the public to fly from an extreme of reckless spending to one of refusal to buy. The public cannot shift the blame for high prices from itself by attempting to place it on the dealers.

Congress should give industry and business whatever relief possible from the burdens placed upon them by the war, in order that they in turn may be able to render a service to the public through lower prices. Playing fast and loose with business, as the public is inclined to do, will work great injury to tradesmen and eventually become harmful to the buyers themselves, through the creation of uncertainty in the relations between seller and consumer.

SPURNING A MILLION

IT is hard enough to get a million dollars, everybody knows. How hard, then, is it, having been born in luxury's lap, and inherited the million, to turn it down?

That is what Charles Garland, a young Massachusetts man, has done. He has turned from wealth to the career of an auto mechanic, after announcing with dramatic youthful enthusiasm that he intends living his life on a Christian basis. "I did nothing to earn the money." It is more than any many needs. It might do poor people a lot of good, instead of accumulating to no purpose." That is his statement.

The first and obvious comment on such an act is that the young man has probably not realized the opportunity to "do poor people a lot of good," which he has just passed up. But he has announced himself as an individualist, and has avoided the responsibilities that that particular million dollars involved. He has not avoided responsibility, however. It is his duty now to prove that he can be a better citizen poor than rich, and that his loss really has been the gain of the community.

HOLIDAY HINTS

CHRISTMAS candy, the sticky kind, brightly-colored, that always used to taste so good, is going to be a third cheaper this year than it was last, manufacturers say. Remember, some youngster mightn't get a single piece if you don't see to it.

Christmas Red Cross seals will help stamp out tuberculosis throughout the country all next year. Paste one on every Yule tide package you send out.

Christmas trees are plentiful. It makes the day seem brighter if there's a tinselly tree about the house. Don't be "too busy" to fix up. The kids might like, you know. But be careful about Christmas tree candles. You don't want a tragedy or a near-tragedy to mar the holiday.

Christmas smiles cost nothing at all. The more you furnish your friends, the more they seem to think of you, somehow. And you don't need to shut off the supply on December 26, either.

Contrary old world. Now that living is getting cheaper everybody is croaking that everything is going to the dogs. Well, just remember what this infallible oracle told you when the tide was at its flood. You can't get the best of everything and everybody else the worst. For several years we had a division of good things, but all went to kicking and that was bad business.

Let's judge it kindly. It hasn't been such a bad sort of winter as far as it has gone.

As this year draws so near to a close we are reminded to ask if we are to get that new station "next year." Stand up, chamber of commerce, and answer.

One thing suggested by the near advent of the Great Holiday, besides early shopping, is not to write it Xmas—that sounds irreverent and so sounding is.

The Passing Of The Duel

By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Dueling has been dealt a heavy blow in France, we learn, by the refusal of Leon Daudet, a member of the Chamber of Deputies who fought eleven duels before the war, to accept another challenge. He declares that dueling is a foolish practice, and that there is no excuse for it "since the war."

It seems strange to Americans that in France men still formally fight to the death, as they do also in other European countries and in most of Latin-America. It has been more than half a century since a duel of any importance was fought in the United States, and almost a century since the duel here was in its heyday.

We might claim from this that we are a more civilized country than France, but that would be a hard claim to substantiate by any other evidence. It would also be hard to claim much credit for not dueling when we will have our little lynching parties and race riots, and in view of the record we have made in Haiti. A malicious critic might say that we have given up the fair fight for the unfair one.

As a matter of fact duels have undoubtedly held a high and recognized place in countries which were by every other standard highly civilized, and a study of the subject leaves one not at all sure that combat between man and man, strictly regulated, is a wholly barbarous proceeding. The duel seems to be condemned more and more not because it is essentially uncivilized, but because it is wasteful of human life, and because it tends, especially in a democracy, to degenerate into a means of legitimizing murder.

Why Duel Declined

This seems to be the real cause of its decadence in this country. Dueling is an aristocratic practice. In theory it is a combat between two peers, regulated by the strictest regard for fairness. But in this country everyone is a peer. One man is as good as another in theory, and all had, until a few years ago, the right to bear arms. Hence the duel became a means by which a rascal skilled with a gun could kill a useful man and go free.

Long and interesting is the history of the duel in America, and it makes us realize keenly how much we have changed. A book on dueling written in 1868 by an Englishman who had travelled extensively in this country, says that "America is the land where life is held cheaper than anywhere else. There duels are off-hand diversions."

He goes on to say that the walls and furniture of Washington hotels were scarred by the bullets which excited legislators and politicians had fired at one another.

In a word, 50 years ago we were the most cantankerous, truculent and self-assertive people on earth. All men went armed and were always ready to lay down their lives in defense of their honor, their property and their dignity. In those days you did not even jostle a man on the street without making elaborate apology or else fighting for your life.

Now we are as completely disarmed as medieval peasants. We are driven about like sheep in great herds. We peacefully stand on each other's toes in the subways, while consideration for the stranger is a rare virtue in our midst. There would seem to be just a mite of truth in the statement of an old writer on the subject that "the duel is a sharp but salutary remedy for rude and offensive conduct." He also points out that there is little excuse for any nation which still goes to war to pride itself on the abolition of dueling. "When individuals and nations have learned to treat each other with respect", he thinks both dueling and war may be unnecessary, but he does not think that the one is either any worse or any less necessary than the other.

Loss of Personal Prowess

Certainly no good brief can be made out in defense of dueling. Yet it does seem undeniable that when a man renounces all personal prowess and entrusts his safety and honor to policemen, he loses something. The typical good citizen of today, sedentary, short-winded physically unfit for any kind of encounter, and nervously unable to face disaster is surely not altogether an admirable figure. We hark back with pleasure to tales of men who, wielded a wicked sword, shot straight and faced death calmly.

This is not argument in favor of fighting, but it does seem to indicate that civilization has robbed the individual of something valuable. This was what William James had in mind when he said that war might be abolished if we could substitute something else strenuous and dangerous for it. He suggested that our young men be enlisted in armies to go out and conquer the wilderness, to reclaim deserts, explore rivers and forests. That might be a substitute for dueling, too.

The trouble seems to be that the heroic impulse—the will to dare and suffer—is decadent among us. We are too comfortable to fight each other or the wilderness. The man who craves battle and adventure is as much out of place among us as a lion in a barn yard.

Old Laws On Dueling

Public opinion on dueling was always divided in this country, even in colonial times. There was a feeling that men had a right to settle their differences by combat, but it was also recognized that valuable lives were lost in that way, and much crime committed in the name of honor. The killing of Hamilton by Burr probably gave the duel its first serious set-back. Various laws were passed to prevent dueling, and some of them were strange. In New Orleans, a "court of honor" was established for the arbitration of individual differences. This apparently was to do for individuals about what the Hague tribunal tries to do for nations, and it apparently succeeded about as well. A Massachusetts law forbade dueling and provided that the body of a man killed in a duel should be used for dissection. A Mississippi law dealth a body blow to the practice by providing that a man who killed another in a duel must pay his victim's debts!

The famous Cilley-Graves duel, in which one congressman killed another, also resulted in a great popular revulsion against dueling. A committee of congress investigated this fight and recommended the expulsion of Graves from the house. Cilley was challenged, shot and killed for remarks which he made on the floor of the house, and which were perfectly in order. This was in violation of the constitution of the United States. It further appeared that the whole thing was very nearly a frame-up on Cilley, and there was a plan on foot to murder him in case he was not killed in the duel. These unsavory revelations brought it to the attention of the people that dueling in America had degenerated from a test of skill between gentlemen to a deadly weapon in the hands of bullies and criminals. Although dueling continued more or less until after the Civil War, it declined from the time of Cilley's death, which was in 1838.

Properly Indignant.

Boe (enthusiastically)—"Yes, father, I have fully made up my mind to adopt music as a career. I feel it is the only one in which my soul can find its full expansion." Father (indignantly)—"Very well, sir; if you will persist in your evil courses, instead of following your father in an honest hardware business, let me tell you that, when you have reached the height of your ambition, you needn't come playing before my door expecting to get any coppers."—London Mail.

Questions and Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies entirely to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. What is the inscription on the monument erected where the charter Oak stood? W. A. R.

A. This monument, unveiled in Hartford, Connecticut, in 1909, is a simple granite obelisk encircled by oak leaves and resting upon a globe which in turn rests upon four dolphins. The inscription reads "Near this spot stood the Charter Oak, memorable in the history of the Colony of Connecticut as the hiding-place of the charter October 31, 1687. The tree fell Aug. 21, 1856."

Q. Why is an American Indian not an American citizen unless he takes legal steps to become one? A. G. C.

A. The American Indians are recognized as national wards, and not a part of the regular republic system. To a large extent the larger tribes, or so-called "nations" govern themselves and have a political life entirely apart from our government.

Q. Are guinea pigs fit to eat? C. E. B.

A. While guinea pigs are seldom eaten in the United States, their near relationship to rabbits and the fact that they are wholly vegetarian in habit, should reassure anyone who may entertain doubts about their fitness for the table. All the specials of wild cavies are accounted good game in South America.

Q. During the war, how far below the surface did submarines work? A. D. F.

A. The Navy Department says that while they could dive to a depth of 300 feet, their operations were usually conducted at about 50 feet.

Q. Is color-blindness inherited, and is it more prevalent among men? T. I. S.

A. Color blindness is often inherited and may be partial or complete. It is found in from three to four per cent of men and less than one percent of women.

Q. Who was the greatest actress who won success after having been dismissed as unfit for the stage? H. F. T.

A. The story is told that Elizabeth Barry, a famous English actress, who lived from 1658 to 1713, succeeded after being tutored by the Earl of Rochester, although she had been dismissed as unpromising. He is supposed to have wagered that he would make a first-rate actress of her within six months. She came to be the greatest actress of her time, creating more than 100 roles.

Q. Who were the original members of the American League in baseball? W. T. H.

A. The present American League was organized in 1900, and the clubs in it at that time were Cleveland, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Detroit, Buffalo, Chicago, and Minneapolis.

Q. What is meant by the Bill of Rights of the Constitution? H. G. M.

A. Amendments I-X of the Constitution are often referred to in this way. In some of the states dissatisfaction was expressed at the absence of anything resembling a Bill of Rights in the Constitution, and after its adoption, the first Congress proposed a series of amendments which were promptly ratified by the states as Articles I-X of the amendments as they now appear.

Q. How many cables are there from America to Europe? I. M. C.

A. A telegraph and cable company says that there are 14 submarine cables between the United States and Europe.

WHO'S WHO

In The Days News

CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO

Plans have been completed for a visit to this country of the Crown Prince of Japan, who expects to come here in the spring. He will go about incognito, seeing with his own eyes rather than those of an official escort, and spreading his activities here in as many directions as may suit him. He will try to get first-hand impressions, cutting out red tape and ceremony as far as circumstances permit.

Never before has an heir to the Japanese throne gone abroad. In the centuries when the mikado was an official cipher the Shoguns kept him at home, to give the show of sanction to their own proceedings; and in the half century since his power was restored he has been occupied with national politics and aspirations and has had no time, if he had inclination, to step beyond his own boundaries.

Circumstances have changed, however, since Japan ceased to be isolated and has advanced to the front rank of the nations. It happens that the Japanese Crown Prince may well be spared from home, for he is only nineteen, and his father, the emperor, is still a young man; and the foreign contact that will be brought about by the visit will benefit the prince by broadening his outlook, while it will substitute in the minds of his entertainers the impression of an agreeable and likable personality in place of the impersonal and sinister entity heretofore associated with the government of Japan.

The Crown Prince's name is Hirohito. He was born April 29, 1901. Following the custom of the imperial family, he has been educated both in the army and the navy, holding the military rank of second lieutenant and the naval rank of sub-lieutenant of the second class. He wears the jewelled rosette and chain of the Supreme Order of Chrysanthemum—an imperial decoration. His younger brothers are Prince Yasuhito, born June 25, and Prince Nobuhito, born January 3, 1905.

The Martin

Hardin's goin' t' have a whole lot o' Wilson autos t' keep in repair next summer. Mrs Lafe Bull went t' town t' buy a hat an' had t' park seven times before she found what she wanted.

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New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 6.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up and to an auction of the jewels and trinkets of Miss Thomas, the cinema actress, who lately died in Paris. And many stage folk there and there were mighty bargains. Thence to Brentano's where I browsed about among some fine old editions but too poor in purse to buy. Saw Geraldine Farrar, the singer, and was not so mightily struck with her beauty.

For a walk through the town and this day for the first time I saw a public riot, men, women and police fighting and clawing like mad and I took pains to keep my distance in especial when they brought hose to sprinkle them with water. To lunch with Mr. Simpson, the barrister, and we had a fine veal pie.

Calling at the male dress-maker's for my wife we went to see a painting done by a blind man and very good too. Then to see Mrs. Hall, the widow of my boyhood friend, and she agreed to loan me some volumes I have been wanting a long time. A light snow has fallen over the city.

Home where I laboured long into the night and then came some roysterers demanding strong drink but my tierce of claret is empty and they were off. And so I sewed a button on my shirt which I do when I am not good friends with my wife. Then to bed.

Tony Salvie has gone out of business. Tony made his living painting out the ocular evidence of those who had been on the wrong side of the argument along the Bowery. He used to handle twenty customers a night at a dollar each. There are very few fights on the Bowery now with fists. The gangster has come with his knife and gun and the repairs must be done at the hospital. For years Tony had a sign in his window that was unique. It was the likeness of a human eye with a dark circle under it. A line under it read: "Black Eyes Cured While You Wait." Tony is going into the more genteel trade of barbering.

It has been the habit of New York head-waiters for years, after they have acquired a following, to go into business on their own hook. The records show that only two out of the long list have been successful. One who recently spent $40,000 fixing up a cozy little restaurant only to have it go into bankruptcy in a month, said: "The patrons promised me they would be glad to come to my new place and encouraged me. But they never did."

In a new volume of poetry by a New York bard he sounds his melancholy thoughts in the dedication which reads: "To My Wife; Whose Lack of Interest in This Book Has Been My Constant Desperation."

Those who wonder at the high salaries of stage directors—they do get two and three thousand a week—would be content and cease wondering if they saw him whip a musical comedy into shape. I have been watching one for three weeks. He was fresh and buoyant at the start. The second week his voice was a whisper and his nerves on edge. Three days before the opening he was really a pathetic sight. He trembled in every limb. There were great circles under his eyes and his voice was entirely gone so that he could only make motions. He had worked 15 hours out of every 24 for three weeks. He slept only by the aid of sleeping potions and the night of the opening he had to be assisted into a darkened box of the theatre. His show was a success—but he is now recovering in a sanitarium.

Everybody's Lonesome

Why down deep within their hearts
Everybody's lonesome;
Far within their secret parts
Everybody's lonesome.
Makes no difference how they smile,
How they love or what their style;
Once in every little while
Everybody's lonesome.

People first in big affairs—
Even they are lonesome;
Maybe like to put on airs,
Just the same they're lonesome.
Men for whom existence blends
Every good; who gain all ends,
Still reach out their hands for friends;
Everybody's lonesome.

Women, silk-clad, jeweled fine,
Yes, they too are lonesome;
When their gems the brightest shine
They are just as lonesome.
Some must serve and some command,
All still seek with groping hand
Love and friends who understand:
Everybody's lonesome.

Though your gift of friendship's small,
Everybody's lonesome.
It may answer some one's call,
Some one who is lonesome:
Give, and give with might and main,
Give your hands, and join the chain,
And your gift will be your gain
Sometime, when you're lonesome.
—Detroit News.

Well Named

Visitor (to facetious farmer)—"I'd like to know why on earth you call that white pig 'Ink'?"

Facetious Farmer—"Because he's always running from the pen."

I Never Knew

I never knew before, the world
So beautiful could be
As I have found it since I learned
All cares to cast on Thee;
The scales have fallen from mine eyes
And now the light I see.
—Selected.

A Bargain

"I'm getting our ice from a new man now, dear."

"What's wrong with the other man?"

"The new dealer says he'll give us colder ice for the same money."—Boston Transcript.

A Ringer

"Why didn't you send up a man to mend our electric bell?"

"He did go, Madam, but as he rang the door bell twice and got no answer, he concluded that there was no one at home."—Electrical Experimenter.

An "Honest" Man

On going his rounds about midnight a policeman noticed an individual moving from house to house and trying to open the doors.

He seized him by the collar and said:

"What are you doing here?"

"Oh, nothing particular. You see, I've found a latch key and I'm merely trying it on the doors in order to restore it to the owner."

Cruel!

Classical music does not appeal to Tarry Pollard. The little Rolin Film Company comedian and Producer Hal E. Roach were in a Los Angeles motion picture house when, for an overture, the orchestra rendered "La Boheme." Heavy applause greeted the bowing leader.

"They certainly appreciate good music here," ventured Mr. Roach.

"Ah, they're not cheering the music," said Pollard.

"No."

"No, drawled Harry, "they're applauding because it's over."

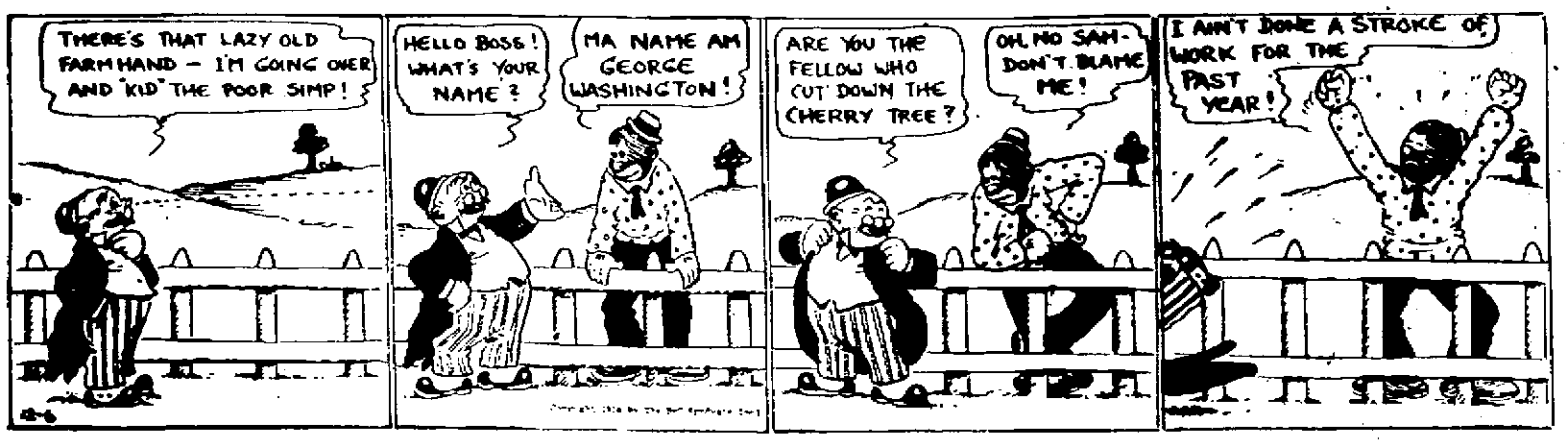
Creditors Must Eat Too

Mr. Thursday—"Our friend, Dodge, tells me that he is doing settlement work lately."

Mr. Friday—"Yes, his creditors finally cornered him."—People's Home Journal.

POLLY AND HER PALS — And This Was No Veiled Suggestion, Either — BY CLIFF STERRETT

LOUIE THE LAWYER — It's A Truthful Name, Anyway



TERRIBLE TESSIE — By Hal Proctor

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CONGRESS CONVENES AT NOON

PRESIDENT-ELECT HARDING WILL SIT IN SENATE TODAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—President-elect Harding was back in Washington today ready to take his seat in the Senate when the Sixty-Sixth Congress convenes for its third and final session. Senator Harding's presence in the Senate will mark the first time in history that a president-elect has attended sessions of that body as a member.

Going to his office in the Philippine committee room of the capitol about nine o'clock, Senator Harding had before him conferences with several of his colleagues and office details to occupy the time before the Senate convened at twelve o'clock. He planned to take his seat to answer the roll, probably for the last time.

Senator Harding told newspaper men on his arrival here last night that if he addressed the Senate at all today it would be only a brief word of farewell. The Senator did not indicate whether he planned to call on President Wilson during his two days' stay here.

Senator Harding who is a guest at the suburban home of Edward R. Mclean, breakfasted late and remained away from the capitol until shortly before the Senate convened. Meanwhile a swarm of callers waited at his office in the Senate Office building and another small crowd congregated about the Philippine committee room in the capitol in the hope that he would come there.

George B. Christian, Jr., the president-elect's secretary called at the McLean home and after a short talk with his chief went to the Senate Office building and began work on accumulated correspondence which is expected to occupy much of Mr. Harding's time during his two days visit here.

With telephones ringing continuously and the procession of callers growing steadily during the forenoon the Senator's office became one of the busiest spots in Washington as the new session convened.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—President Wilson has not yet made known whether he will deliver his last annual message to congress tomorrow in person, but arrangements have been made at the Capitol to receive him should he revive the custom interrupted by his illness.

Tickets of admission to the house galleries have been printed and are ready for distribution to members of the senate and house immediately upon an announcement from the White House that the president will visit the Capitol.

Should occasion arise to distribute the tickets congressional leaders realize there would be a great demand for them, as this would be the first public appearance of the president since he was taken ill more than a year ago.

Plans Duty On Wheat And Flour Imports To U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Bills providing a duty on wheat and flour imports and regulating grain exchanges have been framed by Representative Steenerson of Minnesota, who expected to introduce both measures today, in addition to his resolution authorizing the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the activity of foreign governments in the American grain markets.

Duties of thirty cents per bushel on wheat, $1.85 per barrel on flour and thirty percent ad valorem on semolina and other wheat products are provided in one of Mr. Steenerson's bills. One of the causes of the slump of wheat prices, he declared today, was the dumping on United States markets of millions of bushels of wheat and several million barrels of flour from Canada, free of duty.

The measure designed to regulate grain exchanges, provides that organizations operating them shall admit groups of farmers' organizations on the co-operative principle on equal footing with other members and under like conditions.

Open Probe On Preferential Railroad Rates

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Investigation into the advisability of permitting railroads to grant preferential rates on commodities carried to ports for shipment in American vessels, was begun today by the Shipping Board.

Hearings beginning today will be conducted by the full board recently named by President Wilson under the Jones act and representatives of steamship lines. Shippers and railroads will discuss the situation.

Last summer the Inter-state Commerce Commission suspended until January 1, the operation of the preferential rail rate section of the Jones act upon recommendation of the Shipping Board in order that a survey could be made of the American shipping in the ports of the country. According to officials of the board, the survey showed sufficient shipping available in a number of ports and chairman Benson has announced that the board will probably recommend immediately that the Interstate Commerce Commission make the preferential rate section effective.

According to the chairman preferential rail rates are necessary if the American merchant marine is to compete on the same footing with foreign shippers.

NINE STILLS DESTROYED

LEXINGTON, KY., Dec. 6—While twenty United States marshals served warrants on twenty or more men charged on charges of moonshining in the "South America" section of Whitley county today, four members of the band with whom revenue officers fought a pitched battle Saturday, were arraigned today before United States Commissioner Rollins at Pineville. Word from the scene of the fight said that it now was believed no one was killed on either side during the fight.

The battle, according to accounts received at the prohibition director's office here, was participated in by about thirty moonshiners opposing eleven revenue officers. The officers were attacked from ambush as they followed up a trail that leads to the top of Pine mountain.

In the first exchange of shots one band moonshiner was seen to fall wounded and was believed to have been killed. The officers paid no attention to him in their pursuit of other men who fled under fire of the high powered army rifles with which the raiders were equipped and when they returned later he had disappeared. Doubts as to whether or not the man had been injured were expressed today.

The men being sought by United States marshals today are members of the party of moonshiners who were captured by the officers, but released because the party was not large enough to handle them, it was stated.

Nine stills with a capacity of 60 to 100 gallons were destroyed by the raiders within a radius of nine miles, they reported to Chief Prohibition Agent E. G. McFarland, who arrived at Pineville late yesterday afternoon. Five thousand gallons of beer and several gallons of whiskey were destroyed, no more trouble is expected, officers said today in long distance conversations with persons in this city.

Lecturer Is Arrested As 'Peeping Tom'

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 6—Ber. Thomas Boyd Gay, a lecturer, was arrested here last night charged with being a "Peeping Tom." Police say that he admitted peeping into windows on the north side, where residents have complained frequently of prowlers.

Hero Of Verdun To Get Distinguished Service Medal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—General Robert Georges Nivelle, former director in chief of the French armies and hero of Verdun, will be decorated with the Distinguished Service medal today by Secretary Baker at Fort Myer.

After receiving the medal awarded him at the direction of the President, the French officer will present a number of decorations awarded by his government to officers of the American army and navy.

Following the ceremonies at Fort Myer, General Nivelle will deliver an address at the army general staff college.

MACHINE GUN GUARDS JAIL AGAINST MOB

WISE, VA., Dec. 6—With the arrival today of detachments of National Guard troops from Roanoke and Lynchburg, the authorities today had under control the situation resulting from the storming Monday of the county jail by a mob seeking a negro charged with assaulting and robbing an aged white woman.

The determined resistance of Sheriff Gill and his deputies barricaded in the jail and the death of Tate Blundell, alleged leader of the mob, during the exchange of shots, effectively checked the mob until the arrival of the troops.

Threats that another and larger mob was forming for an attack last night failed to materialize. A machine gun had been mounted on the jail and the defenders were ordered to "shoot to kill."

So far as could be learned today the death of Blundell and the serious wounding of John B. Lewis, another alleged mob member, were the only casualties.

Lewis has three bullet wounds in the chest and his condition is said to be serious.

GREEKS VOTE FOR RETURN OF KING CONSTANTINE

ATHENS, Dec. 6—(By the Associated Press)—Returns from the plebescite held throughout Greece yesterday which was to decide whether the Greek people would recall former King Constantine to the throne made vacant by the death of his son, King Alexander, appear to indicate an overwhelming majority in favor of Constantine resuming power as King.

The vote is being counted as a matter of formality, for the plebescite was considered farcial in this city and in the country at large. Reports for the nation generally already indicate a majority of 500,000 in favor of the return of Constantine and claims are made that the entire electorate of 900,000 voted for him. Definite returns from Pirous show 13,000 in favor of Constantine and only 900 against him. Four million ballots were printed for the plebescite.

Arrangements have been made for the return of Constantine from Switzerland. It is pointed out in this city by adherents of the former king that the Allies "do not understand that the people demand Constantine and are losing time writing notes.

Drunkenness Chief Cause For Desertion

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—Drunkenness continued to be the principal cause for trial of enlisted men of the navy for desertion or overstaying leave during the past fiscal year, according to the annual report of Rear Admiral George B. Clark, judge advocate general to Secretary Daniels today.

Of 1,725 such cases during the year pleas of drunkenness were entered in 384 cases, says the report. The excuse "having a good time" was given in 302 cases. Homesickness caused ninety sailors to take "French" leave and in eight cases the plea was entered that the work on board ship was too hard.

More than 41,000 cases were tried by court martial during the year.

The tempering of justice with mercy was urged by Admiral Clark who recommended a more speedy trial of prisoners and an effort on the part of commanding officers to cut down the number of courts martial by taking care of their own punishments.

The Judge Advocate General also recommended that all legislation having to do with the legal system or administration of justice in the navy be prepared in his department.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Oil shares again dominated the constructive side of the stock market on the resumption of trading today. Mexican Petroleum the feature of last Saturday's rally made an initial gain of 2 points which soon increased to 2½. Houston rose 2½ and Pan-American "Petroleum" a large fraction but Pacific Oil and Royal Dutch eased slightly. Among rails and industrials early quotations were confusing. St. Paul preferred advancing 1¾ with firmness in Vanadium and Lackawanna steels, while Southern Pacific, Crucible steel and the principal shippings were lower by fractions to 1¾ points.

Plan Early Peace In Ireland

DUBLIN, Dec. 6—(By the Associated Press)—Determined efforts to bring about an early peace in Ireland are being made here. Conversations have been in progress more than a week and hope was expressed last night by some of those engaged in the negotiations that within another week a tangible basis of settlement might be reached.

The chief intermediary at work is the Rev. Patrick Joseph Clune, Bishop of Perth, Australia, who it is understood has been asked by Premier Lloyd George to sound out Sinn Fein sentiment and prepare if possible the ground on which a foundation for the peace edifice can be reared.

500 Witnesses Before Federal Grand Jury

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 6—The Federal grand jury today began the examination of 500 witnesses, most of whom are said to have been called to testify regarding alleged violations of the prohibition law, scattered throughout the state and possibly reaching into other states.

ELIMINATE "TRUSTY" SYSTEM

STEUBENVILLE—Escape of six men from county jail, aided by trusties acting as guards, resulted in elimination of "trusty" system.

DAVIS SILENT ON APPOINTMENTS; NUMEROUS CANDIDATES FOR POSTS

COLUMBUS, O.—While Governor-elect Davis still maintains an unbroken silence regarding selection of men and women to aid him in managing the state government during the next two years, candidates for the various offices, both active and receptive, become more numerous. If the governor-elect is considering claims of the various candidates, he is keeping it strictly to himself.

While this attitude of the new chief executive prevails, interest has gradually shifted to organization of the legislature which convenes January 3. John J. Chester, of Paulding county, ranking member of the house of representatives, has called a caucus of Republican members here, December 15, when a speaker, floor leader and minor officials will be agreed upon. A caucus of senate members probably will be called for December 9th by Senator Archer, of Caldwell, and Sparks of Dayton, ranking members.

Two candidates for the speakership of the house already are active. They are Rupert R. Beetham, of Harrison county, floor leader of the last legislature, and Robert C. Dunn, of Bowling Green, Wood county. Mr. Dunn was an active member of the lower house during the last session, then serving his first term. H. T. Robins, of Chillicothe, Ross county, is understood to be a receptive candidate. He was a member of the joint taxation committee during the last session and took an active part in other matters. Beetham is said to have the inside track for the position.

As the house is overwhelmingly dry it is expected that C. C. Crabbe, of Loudon, Madison county, author of many prohibition enforcement measures which were considered during the last session and of the Crabbe act, which finally was approved by referendum at the November election, is said to be the choice of the drys for floor leader. It is reported they prefer him for that position in preference to the speakership, contending he can be of more service to them on the floor than in the chair. Mr. Crabbe also is considered an organization-Republican and it is believed he will be acceptable to Governor-elect Davis. He was one of the new executive's most ardent supporters during the campaign and this fact is said to have had much influence in Mr. Davis' favor in the rural dry sections. Mr. Crabbe, however, is remaining silent and may have something else in view other than the wishes of the dry leaders.

Following custom, Mr. Davis has announced the selection of his adjutant general as the first of his appointments. Colonel George Florence of Circleville, is the officer selected for the post.

At least three women are candidates for important positions in Mr. Davis' administration. Miss Rose Moriarity, of Cleveland is an active Republican candidate for membership on the state board of administration, and Mrs. Maude Murray Miller, of Columbus, a member of the board of motion picture censors, is a receptive candidate for one of the minority memberships. Mrs. Claude C. Waltermire, of Columbus, is a candidate for Mrs. Miller's position on the censor board. Mrs. Miller's term expires January 1. The salary of board of administration members is $3,000.

Three names have been frequently mentioned for membership on the public utilities commission. The persons mentioned are former commissioner, Lawrence K. Langdon, of Lebanon, former secretary of the commission Daniel H. Armstrong, of Jackson, and Attorney W. L. David of Cleveland, all republicans. The terms of Byron H. Clendening, of Cincinnati, democrat and Beecher W. Waltermire, republican, Findlay, have expired. Mr. Waltermire, it is understood will not ask re-appointment. He has been mentioned for a place on the Interstate Commerce Commission by appointment from President-Elect Harding. He has been on the state commission for six years. Charles C. Marshall is the hold-over democrat member of the utilities commission.

If Dave R. Jones, of Cleveland, does not accept the position of private secretary to Governor-elect Davis, the public is without intimation who is to receive this important post. Jones managed Mr. Davis' mayoralty campaigns in Cleveland and was executive secretary in charge of the gubernatorial campaign. He is probably closer to Mr. Davis than anyone in Ohio. For him to accept the position would probably entail financial loss as his business interest probably would suffer without his personal contact. If he accepts, it probably will be because of personal loyalty to a life-long friend.

D. M. Fullington, vice-chairman of the state advisory committee, is expected to be rewarded for faithful service either by appointment to a state position, or a federal one by the president-elect. He has been mentioned for the post of state budget commissioner, a position he held during the administration of former Governor Willis. His knowledge of state finances, gained through one term as state auditor and as budget commissioner, is said to make his services as a financial officer of some sort desirable. His private business interests, farming and banking, are expected to induce preference for a state position rather than a federal one which would call him to Washington.

Many Liquor Cases Probed

COLUMBUS, O., December 6—Approximately one hundred cases, mostly for allege violation of the Volstead act, were taken up by the federal grand jury meeting here today.

SLAIN BY UNKNOWN MEN

DAYTON—Ben Gay, 45, farmer, shot and killed at door of his home with his 14 year old son looking on, by two men who fled in an automobile.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

CLEVELAND—J. P. Macbeth, retired business man found dead in down town hotel.

MINERS TO FIGHT TO FINISH

INDIANAPOLIS — United Mine Workers plan to carry through strike with coal operators in West Virginia and Alabama "to a finish" it was announced.

Japs Will Oppose U. S. Demands

TOKIO—Japanese cabinet decided to maintain stand against demand of United States for control of cable lines between Shanghai, Guam and Island of Yap.

Riot Call to Quell Audience

CHICAGO—Criticism of Russian Soviet government by Congressman-elect Meyer London, of New York, necessitated riot call to quell disturbance raised by his audience.

Harding Addressed Elks' Memorial

BEDFORD, Va.—President-Elect Harding addressed audience at Memorial services at Elks' national home.

NEGRO HANGED TO POLE

TULSA, Okla.—Unidentified negro hanged to telegraph pole at Holdenville following his arrest for attacking 67 year old white woman.

FINLAND TO GET IN

GENEVA—Finland will probably be admitted to the League of Nations, committee examining applications having passed favorably on its request for membership.

Gun-Toting And Whiskey Running In Kentucky Must Stop, Says Governor Morrow

FRANKFORT, KY., Dec. 6—"Gun-toting and whiskey-running in Kentucky must stop," said Gov. Edwin P. Morrow in a statement issued here today. The statement was issued in explanation of his refusal recently to commute jail sentences of a number of persons convicted on carrying concealed weapons and selling or bringing liquor into the state.

"I said before I took office that I would not pardon a single gun-toter or whiskey runner," said the Governor. "And I want it generally known that I meant what I said. Gun toting and whiskey running in Kentucky must stop.

"It has been the custom for a generation in Kentucky to remit jail sentences of persons convicted of carrying concealed weapons allowing them to pay their fines and go free. As long as I am governor every person sentenced to jail for this crime must serve his time.

"Whiskey runners and bootleggers also need expect no leniency from this office."

The pardons refused during the last few days include appeals of Charles Weddington, convicted in the Elliott county circuit court of bootlegging and fined $50 and sentenced to serve 10 days in jail; Lucian Lynch and Richard Coffey of Jamestown, convicted in Clinton county of transporting liquor from Tennessee and sentenced to 20 days in jail; Harry Thompson, of Ashland, convicted of shooting and wounding James Stewart; G. C. Williams of Hickwood, fined $200 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for carrying concealed weapons; Allen Howerton, convicted at Stanfordville of attempted bank robbery and sentenced to two years in prison; Glen Abney, 62 years old, sentenced to 20 years in prison for killing Hal Ballard at Hardwick's Creek, Powell county, in 1918 and Charles Randall convicted in Harbourville in 1916 of murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

All American Conference On Social Disease

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—More than 500 delegates representing ten nations of the Western Hemisphere, were here today for the opening session of the All-American conference on social diseases. It is the first of a series of regional meetings recommended by the Inter-National Health conference held last year at Cannes, France, under the auspices of the League of Red Cross societies and was arranged by the United States Public Health Service.

The conference which will continue five days will endeavor to formulate definite lines for stimulated concerted action in combatting social diseases.

Correlated questions, including, the single standard for the two sexes also will be considered.

Business sessions of the conference, which will begin tomorrow, will be presided over in turn by Secretary of the Navy Daniel, Secretary of War Baker, and Dr. M. H. Rarcel, president of the American Health Association.

CLEAN UP SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD—Series of holdups, safe cracking and other crime resulted in order from Chief of Police that all suspicious characters be rounded up.

EDWARDS HEADS CENTRE TEAM

CLEVELAND — W. W. Edwards, centre on Case football team elected captain for 1921.

Weather

OHIO—Unsettled weather with probably rain and snow Tuesday and in southwest portion tonight. Little change in temperature.

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Masonic Dance Tuesday Night

Baesman's Academy
Masons, Their Wives and Sweethearts Invited

Lombards Defeated

The Waldron football eleven romped all over the Lombards of Ironton Sunday, the score being 21 to 6. The game was played in Beechwood Park who crowed Waldron's line tossed the and was witnessed by a big crowd.

The Lombards made a touchdown but it was not allowed as the runner, player enters the hall of "fame" with ball to the umpire before he touched the ball to the ground. New, this one Fred Merkle.

Rickey Pleased Over Landis' Appointment

CINCINNATI, Dec. 6—President Rickey of the Cardinals was in the city yesterday enroute from a visit at his old home in Portsmouth, to St. Louis. He will attend the annual meeting of the National League in New York next week. Mr. Rickey expressed himself as delighted with the appointment of Judge Landis as the High Commissioner of baseball and said that the Judge will receive the cordial support of every magnate in baseball.

To Draft Schedules

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 6—Representatives of colleges and universities in the Ohio conference met here today to draft schedules for the various sports and talk over plans and rules for the coming year.

Early arrivals predicted that only routine action would be taken at the meeting.

The 1921 schedule probably will be adopted.

HE'S SPOKESMAN FOR UNCLE SAM TO 18,000,000 FARMERS

Harlan D. Smith.

As director of information of the U. S. department of agriculture, Harlan D. Smith, the new appointee, becomes Uncle Sam's spokesman to the 18,000,000 farmers of the country, informing them through the press of the latest advances in agricultural methods, giving them full benefit of the work of the government experts. To the general public he must justify the appropriation of millions spent by the department annually in the interest of greater farm production and better farm life.

Poisonous Javanese Snake.

As everyone will instantly recognize, the amarphaneki of Java, a very poisonous snake, is so called from its umbrella-like head. The creature makes a peculiar noise by the nimble moving of its tongue and a slight touch of its fangs is fatal.

Old Idea in New Fever

"Pa," said a schoolboy who delighted to give information to his seniors, "a process has been patented for treating the edges of paper money so that when the bills are placed in a phonograph they make sounds that prove their genuineness." "A novel idea," said the father, "but, after all, that is only another way of making money talk."

Official Jewel Calendar.

The following list of birthstones was adopted by the American National Retail Jewelers' association in convention August 3, 1912: January, garnet; February, amethyst; March, bloodstone and aquamarine; April, diamond; May, emerald; June, pearl and moonstone; July, ruby; August, sardonyx and peridot; September, sapphire; October, opal and tourmaline; November, topaz; December, turquoise and lapis-lazuli.

Seek Perfection.

The greatest ambition that any man can have is that of bringing himself as close to the standard of perfection as is possible—perfection of body, mind and soul. This was intended to be the one great work of every life; and, if properly taken hold of, and used, the best means for accomplishing this purpose are thrown in one's way.

Health and Wealth.

There is this difference between the two temporal blessings—health and money: money is the most envied, but the least enjoyed; health is the most enjoyed, but the least envied; and this superiority of the latter is still more obvious when we reflect that the poorest man would not part with health for money, but that the richest would gladly part with all his money for health.—Colton.

Proved His Ability.

Junior Partner—"I see you have engaged a new man. Is he a good salesman?" Senior Partner—"Good salesman? Great snakes! I had to send for the police to prevent him from talking me into taking him into partnership."

Daily Thought.

We are answerable for incalculable opportunities of good and evil in our daily intercourse with every soul with whom we have to deal. . . . To each and all, every day, and all day long, we are distributing that which is best or worst in the world—influence.—Kemble.

SHE INVADES NEW FIELD FOR WOMEN, OPERA PRODUCING

Miss Enrica Clay Dillon.

The latest field to be invaded by woman is that of opera producing. Miss Enrica Clay Dillon of California is the first woman ever to produce operas in America. Miss Dillon has been in that field in Italy, where she was a student of that famous dramatic teacher, Mottino. She is now in the national capital as a producer for the Washington Opera company.

"Living's not so high," says Grandma,
"When you can get Quality Bread."

"There's more slices in that loaf than in several of the ordinary size and it costs less.

"Besides they tell me it's easier to get quality into big loaves, and I believe it, because this one sure is quality.

"I like it and so does the whole family."
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"It's Bigger and Better

A. W. ADAMS

PENNY ANTE — The Wife Anticipates A Clean Up

Yale Football In Need Of Family Doctor

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 6—"What Yale football needs is the family doctor," says the Yale Alumni Weekly today in a general review of the football season in the university. The Weekly has been receiving the opinions of others on football conditions and now strikes out for itself in suggesting causes and effects.

"In our opinion," says the Weekly, "Yale football does not need a professional specialist to put it on its feet again; the family doctor will respond if called. And by this we mean that while Harvard and Yale have been building up home-coaching schools the past few years, Yale has struck out blindly for miracle-makers, and forgotten the experience of the days when Yale football was great."

Capt. Wright Killed

LOUISVILLE, KY., Dec. 6—Captain T. C. Wright, 53 years old, of Buffalo, W. Va., a commander of the towboat, Robert C. Gilham, was hit by a bullet and killed yesterday when a pistol fell from the holster of Patrolman Edward G. Parr and exploded. The accident took place when the policeman was helping an injured man off the boat.

Capt. Wright was well known here. During the ice gorge in the Ohio two years ago he had the Robert P. Gilham moored just below Buena Vista and when the gorge let go he handled his boat so skillfully that very little damage resulted to it.

Option Shortens Sentence.

Private Blugs was incorrigible. His disposition had always been too cherry and carefree to suit the commanding officer, but when he entered the post command whistling, it was altogether too much. "Blugs," said the captain sternly, "you seem to like to whistle. I'll give you your chance. Stand there in the corner and whistle for one hour." Private Blugs swung into the strains of "The Star Spangled Banner." "Your sentence is mitigated to five minutes," said the captain, rising wearily to attention.—American Legion Weekly.

Color and Precious Stones.

Diamonds are not always crystal clear, but vary greatly as to color and few of the precious stones are true to color. The famous Hope diamond is a real and most beautiful blue. Green diamonds are found, and others of a lovely crimson, but these are very rare. Black diamonds are common enough. Black pearls are rarer, but are found. Pink pearls are greatly prized.

Avoid Calumniation.

"In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration. For to assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid and comfort to every scoundrel, while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth.—Theodore Roosevelt.

Real Thing in Success.

Some men succeed because they inherit wealth with which to overcome adverse circumstances; but the man who makes good with only his brain and his hands as his capital is the real thing.

BOWLING

MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE

Teams Standing

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Bowers	20	10	.667
Players	20	10	.667
Brummels	19	11	.633
Wholesalers	19	11	.633
Tramps	17	13	.567
Waltons	16	14	.533
Royals	16	14	.533
Aurorus	15	15	.500
Mutuals	12	18	.400
Horrables	9	21	.300
Surveyors	8	22	.267
Movies	6	24	.200

Games This Week

Monday, December 6—Royals vs. Movies, Play House alleys.

Tuesday, December 7.—Brummels vs. Surveyors, Play House alleys.

Wednesday, December 8.—Aurorus vs. Bowers, Play House alleys.

Thursday, December 9.—Players vs. Wholesalers, Play House alleys.

Friday, December 10.—Mutuals vs. Tramps, Play House alleys.

Friday, December 10.—Waltons vs. Horrables, Pennant alleys.

The race in the Masonic Bowling League has narrowed down to a contest as close as a mustard plaster. Four teams are bunched, and it is hard to tell tomer from which. The Bowers and Players are tied for first place with a percentage of .667, while the Brummels and Wholesalers are neck and neck for second honors with .633 as their portion. The Tramps, since the acquisition of "Dee" Baughman are moving along nicely and are within striking distance of the top most rung of the ladder. The way their anchor man, C. E. Neller, is traveling, they are going to be hard to hold in check. The Waltons are right next door and would be up there in the king row were it not for the penalizing they received as a chastisement. All in all the race is some humdinger and the question of superiority will not be determined until the race is completely run out. The end of the first half is a long way off, and some of the teams down at the bottom have a chance. The fact that so many of the teams are showing up with "blinds" is a source of great concern on the part of the directors, and of course the teams thus handicapped are beaten before they start.

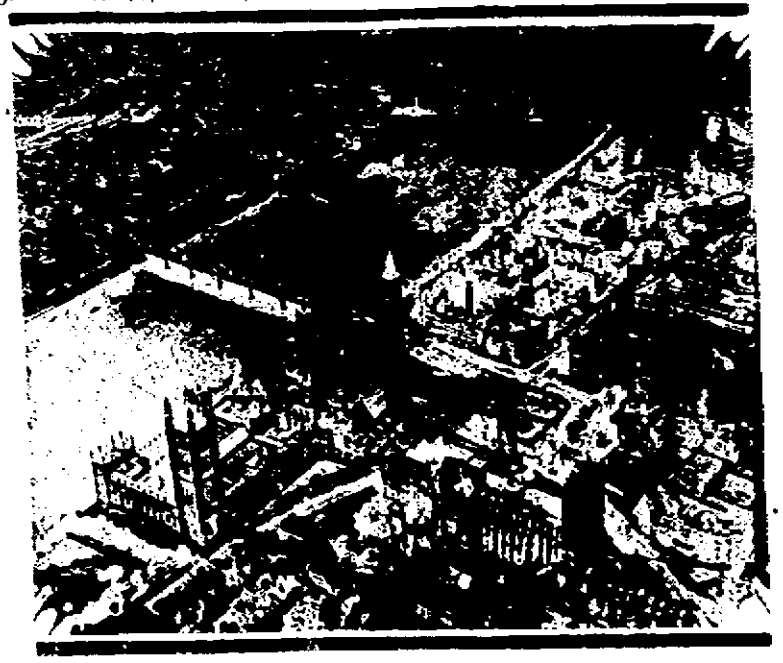
We Won't Deny It.

If we could build up a solid column of ice from the earth to the sun two miles and a half in diameter, spanning the intervening distance of 92,000,000 miles, and if the sun should concentrate its entire power upon it, it would dissolve in a single second, according to a calculation made by Professor Young.

Water Power in Japan.

Japan obtains more than 2,000,000 horsepower from its streams by nearly 400 hydro-electric plants.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS GUARDED FROM SINN FEINERS



Scene [illegible] showing, at left, beside river Thames the Houses of Parliament. In the foreground the Westminster bridge crossing the Thames. In the right foreground, Westminster Abbey. In right background, chief government buildings.

NEW WESLEYAN CAPTAIN

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 6—Maurice A. Longworth, of Bickerville, was chosen by the members of the 1920 Ohio Wesleyan football team to lead the team representing the Red and Black in 1921. The election was held yesterday and the result announced at the banquet given in honor of the football team.

Longworth has been playing a steady brand of ball at left end all season and was one of the most dependable men for that position.

Wont Schedule Navy Game

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6—The University of Pennsylvania football team will not have the Navy on its 1921 schedule, Wharton Sinkler, chairman of the football committee, announced today. There has been considerable discussion of a contest, but Coach Heisman is opposed to making the schedule any harder than it was this year. The last time the Red and Blue team clashed with the Middies was in 1916, when the score resulted in a 7-7 tie.

Pennsylvania's schedule has not yet been announced.

CHILLICOTHE HI'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

CHILLICOTHE, Dec. 6—Principal Smith, of the High School, announced Saturday that the schedule for the C. H. S. basket ball squad for the 1920-1921 season had virtually been completed. It is as follows:

Dec. 17—Waverly at Chillicothe.
Jan. 7—Portsmouth at Portsmouth.
Jan. 14—Hillsboro at Chillicothe.
Jan. 21—Wilmington at Wilmington.
Jan. 28—Greenfield at Greenfield.
Feb. 4—Washington C. H. at Chillicothe.
Feb. 11—Greenfield at Chillicothe.
Feb. 18-19—Greenfield tournament.
Feb. 25—Hillsboro at Hillsboro.
March 4—Wilmington at Chillicothe.
March 11—Portsmouth at Chillicothe.

Ward Hummel is captain of this year's team.

To Attend Big Meeting; Will Trade Some Redlegs

President Herrmann of the Reds will leave Cincinnati Tuesday for New York, where he will meet Manager Moran and they will attend the annual meeting of the National league. While there they probably will pull off a big trade that will mean the revamping of the Red team.

REPUBLICAN LEADER OF HOUSE HOBBLES ABOUT CAPITAL DUTIES ON CRUTCHES

Rep. Frank W. Mondell and his daughter Dorothy leaving the White House after a recent call on President Wilson.

Rep. Frank W. Mondell, Republican leader of the house, has sustained a broken leg twice within the last few months. It is only within the last few weeks that he could hobble about the capital. He has been active, however, despite the fact that he has had to use crutches whenever he walked about. His daughter Dorothy has been of great assistance to him, accompanying him about his work.

Cubs Slated To Hit Plank

CHICAGO, Dec. 6—Reports that waivers had been asked on Claude Hendrix, pitcher, and Charles (Buck) Herzog, second baseman, of the Chicago National League team, were current tonight. President William Veeck, of the Chicago Club, refused to confirm or deny the truth of the reports.

Origin of Slang Term.

"Chaff," as a slang phrase, refers to the throwing of chaff instead of birdseed to allure birds, and consequently we get the phrase an old bird is not caught with chaff, that is a wise man, with all his wits about him, is not to be deceived by humbug. But "you are chaffing me," springs from an entirely different source. Here the reference is to the French word chauffer to cook, chaff to vex, and the English expression still survives in the phrase to "roast" a person, which does not necessarily mean to cook him, although he may become heated.

Chinese Family Relations.

There is no one, spoken of as the "old maid" in China. The lot of the concubine is not, generally speaking, hard; and the position is respectable. A concubine is usually taken in default of issue from the wife. The children of concubines are legitimate. A man would not dare to brave public opinion or the wrath of his wife and her relations by taking a concubine against his wife's wishes. Father and mother are equally venerable in the eyes of the child; the father is "the warm coat" and the mother "the warm one," but both are reflectively indulgent to their children.

Just Go Ahead.

One does not need a formal introduction to put one in the way of doing a charitable act.

RECEIVES $15,000 FOR REMEMBERING SUSPECT'S FACE

Edward Richardson.

Edward Richardson had seen at some time a picture of John Doughty, sought by police in connection with the mysterious disappearance of Ambrose J. Small, wealthy Canadian theatrical man. Recently the resemblance of a fellow worker in a paper mill in Oregon City, Ore., where Richardson worked, to Doughty's picture attracted Richardson's attention. He notified authorities. The man was taken into custody and Richardson has been notified he will receive the $15,000 reward offered for the information.

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THE OTHER EXTREME

THE people of the United States must bear a large share of the blame for what came to be known as pyramiding of prices, which sent cost of living to a point entirely out of proportion to the law of supply and demand. The excesses in buying were called "an orgy of spending."

Another thing, perhaps even as injurious in its effect as the recklessness with which so many persons spent their money after the armistice lifted the strain of war, is seen in the disposition of the people to engage in what is virtually a buyers' strike.

Retail merchants who stocked up with what they believed would meet the demands of trade find that many lines of goods are not selling, especially seasonable articles, and they are forced to make large reductions in order to save as much as possible from their investments. It should not be forgotten that practically all the present stocks of clothing, footwear and other essential commodities have been created under the highest costs ever known, and these stocks were manufactured, of necessity, some months before the time they were expected to be used.

The public feels that it has a right to buy the necessaries of life at lower prices, but nothing is to be gained ultimately if losses are imposed upon dealers—perhaps ruin to many—by the tendency of the public to fly from an extreme of reckless spending to one of refusal to buy. The public cannot shift the blame for high prices from itself by attempting to place it on the dealers.

Congress should give industry and business whatever relief possible from the burdens placed upon them by the war, in order that they in turn may be able to render a service to the public through lower prices. Playing fast and loose with business, as the public is inclined to do, will work great injury to tradesmen and eventually become harmful to the buyers themselves, through the creation of uncertainty in the relations between seller and consumer.

SPURNING A MILLION

IT is hard enough to get a million dollars, everybody knows. How hard, then, is it, having been born in luxury's lap, and inherited the million, to turn it down

That is what Charles Garland, a young Massachusetts man, has done. He has turned from wealth to the career of an auto mechanic, after announcing with dramatic youthful enthusiasm that he intends living his life on a Christian basis: "I did nothing to earn the money. It is more than any many needs. It might do poor people a lot of good, instead of accumulating to no purpose." That is his statement.

The first and obvious comment on such an act is that the young man has probably not realized the opportunity to "do poor people a lot of good," which he has just passed up. But he has announced himself as an individualist, and has avoided the responsibilities that that particular million dollars involved. He has not avoided responsibility, however. It is his duty now to prove that he can be a better citizen poor than rich, and that his loss really has been the gain of the community.

HOLIDAY HINTS

CHRISTMAS candy, the sticky kind, brightly-colored, that always used to taste so good, is going to be a third cheaper this year than it was last, manufacturers say. Remember, some youngster mightn't get a single piece if you don't see to it.

Christmas Red Cross seals will help stamp out tuberculosis throughout the country all next year. Paste one on every Yule tide package you send out.

Christmas trees are plentiful. It makes the day seem brighter if there's a tinselly tree about the house. Don't be "too busy" to fix up. The kids might like, you know. But be careful about Christmas tree candles. You don't want a tragedy or a near-tragedy to mar the holiday.

Christmas smiles cost nothing at all. The more you furnish your friends, the more they seem to think of you, somehow. And you don't need to shut off the supply on December 26, either.

Contrary old world. Now that living is getting cheaper everybody is croaking that everything is going to the dogs. Well, just remember what this infallible oracle told you when the tide was at its flood. You can't get the best of everything and everybody else the worst. For several years we had a division of good things, but all went to kicking and that was bad business.

Let's judge it kindly. It hasn't been such a bad sort of winter as far as it has gone.

As this year draws so near to a close we are reminded to ask if we are to get that new station "next year." Stand up, chamber of commerce, and answer.

One thing suggested by the near advent of the Great Holiday, besides early shopping, is not to write it Xmas—that sounds irreverent and so sounding is.

The Passing Of The Duel

By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 6.—Dueling has been dealt a heavy blow in France, we learn, by the refusal of Leon Daudet, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, who fought eleven duels before the war, to accept another challenge. He declares that dueling is a foolish practice, and that there is no excuse for it "since the war."

It seems strange to Americans that in France men still formally fight to the death, as they do also in other European countries and in most of Latin-America. It has been more than half a century since a duel of any importance was fought in the United States, and, almost a century, since the duel here was in its heyday.

We might claim from this that we are a more civilized country than France, but that would be a hard claim to substantiate by any other evidence. It would also be hard to claim much credit for not dueling when we will have our little lynching parties and race riots, and in view of the record we have made in Haiti. A malicious critic might say that we have given up the fair fight for the unfair one.

As a matter of fact duels have undoubtedly held a high and recognized place in countries which were by every other standard highly civilized, and a study of the subject leaves one not at all sure that combat between man and man, strictly regulated, is a wholly barbarous proceeding. The duel seems to be condemned more and more, not because it is essentially uncivilized, but because it is wasteful of human life, and because it tends, especially in a democracy, to degenerate into a means of legitimizing murder.

Why Duel Declined

This seems to be the real cause of its decadence in this country. Dueling is an aristocratic practice. In theory it is a combat between two peers, regulated by the strictest regard for fairness. But in this country everyone is a peer. One man is as good as another in theory, and all had, until a few years ago, the right to bear arms. Hence the duel became a means by which a rascal skilled with a gun could kill a useful man and go free.

Long and interesting is the history of the duel in America, and it makes us realize keenly how much we have changed. A book on dueling written in 1888 by an Englishman who had travelled extensively in this country, says that "America is the land where life is held cheaper than anywhere else. There duels are off-hand diversions."

He goes on to say that the walls and furniture of Washington hotels were scarred by the bullets which excited legislators and politicians had fired at one another.

In a word, 50 years ago we were the most cantankerous, truculent and self-assertive people on earth. All men went armed and were always ready to lay down their lives in defense of their honor, their property and their dignity. In those days you did not even footle a man on the street without making elaborate apology or else fighting for your life.

Now we are as completely disarmed as medieval peasants. We are driven about like sheep in great herds. We peacefully stand on each other's toes in the subways, while consideration for the stranger is a rare virtue in our midst. There would seem to be just a mite of truth in the statement of an old writer on the subject that "the duel is a sharp but salutary remedy for rude and offensive conduct." He also points out that there is little excuse for any nation which still goes to war to pride itself on the abolition of dueling. "When individuals and nations have learned to treat each other with respect", he thinks both dueling and war may be unnecessary, but he does not think that the one is either any worse or any less necessary than the other.

Loss of Personal Prowess

Certainly no good brief can be made out in defense of dueling. Yet it does seem undeniable that when a man renounces all personal prowess and entrusts his safety and honor to policemen, he loses something. The typical good citizen of today, sedentary, short-winded physically unfit for any kind of encounter, and nervously unable to face disaster is surely not altogether an admirable figure. We hark back with pleasure to tales of men who wielded a wicked sword, shot straight and faced death calmly.

This is not argument in favor of fighting, but it does seem to indicate that civilization has robbed the individual of something valuable. This was what William James had in mind when he said that war might be abolished if we could substitute something else strenuous and dangerous for it. He suggested that our young men be enlisted in armies to go out and conquer the wilderness—to reclaim deserts, explore rivers and forests. That might be a substitute for dueling, too.

The trouble seems to be that the heroic impulse—the will to dare and suffer—is decadent among us. We are too comfortable to fight each other or the wilderness. The man who craves battle and adventure is as much out of place among us as a lion in a barn yard.

Old Laws On Dueling

Public opinion on dueling was always divided in this country, even in colonial times. There was a feeling that men had a right to settle their differences by combat, but it was also recognized that valuable lives were lost in that way, and much crime committed in the name of honor. The killing of Hamilton by Burr probably gave the duel its first serious set-back. Various laws were passed to prevent dueling, and some of them were strange. In New Orleans, a "court of honor" was established for the arbitration of individual differences. This apparently was to do for individuals about what the Hague tribunal tries to do for nations, and it apparently succeeded about as well. A Massachusetts law forbade dueling and provided that the body of a man killed in a duel should be used for dissection. A Mississippi law dealth a body blow to the practice by providing that a man who killed another in a duel must pay his victim's debts!

The famous Cilley-Graves duel, in which one congressman killed another, also resulted in a great popular revulsion against dueling. A committee of congress investigated this fight and recommended the expulsion of Graves from the house. Cilley was challenged, shot and killed for remarks which he made on the floor of the house, and which were perfectly in order. This was in violation of the constitution of the United States. It further appeared that the whole thing was very nearly a frame-up on Cilley, and there was a plan on foot to murder him in case he was not killed in the duel. These unsavory revelations brought it to the attention of the people that dueling in America had degenerated from a test of skill between gentlemen to a deadly weapon in the hands of bullies and criminals. Although dueling continued more or less until after the Civil War, it declined from the time of Cilley's death, which was in 1838.

Properly Indignant.

Son (enthusiastically)—"Yes, father, I have fully made up my mind to adopt music as a career. I feel it is the only one in which my soul can find its full expansion." Father (indignantly)—"Very well, sir; if you will persist in your evil courses, instead of following your father in an honest hardware business, let me tell you that, when you have reached the height of your ambition, you needn't come playing before my door expecting to get any coppers."—London Mail.

Questions AND Answers

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Q. What is the inscription on the monument erected where the charter Oak stood? W. A. R.

A. This monument, unveiled in Hartford, Connecticut, in 1902 is a simple granite obelisk encircled by oak leaves and resting upon a globe which in turn rests upon four dolphins. The inscription reads "Near this spot stood the Charter Oak, memorable in the history of the Colony of Connecticut as the hiding-place of the charter October 31, 1687. The tree fell Aug. 21, 1856."

Q. Why is an American Indian not an American citizen unless he takes legal steps to become one? A. G. G.

A. The American Indians are recognized as national wards, and not a part of the regular republic system. To a large extent the larger tribes, or so-called "nations" govern themselves and have a political life entirely apart from our government.

Q. Are guinea pigs fit to eat? C. E. B.

A. While guinea pigs are seldom eaten in the United States, their near relationship to rabbits and the fact that they are wholly vegetarian in habit, should reassure anyone who may entertain doubts about their fitness for the table. All the specials of wild cavies are accounted good game in South America.

Q. During the war, how far below the surface did submarines work? A. D. T.

A. The Navy Department says that while they could dive to a depth of 500 feet, their operations were usually conducted at about 50 feet.

Q. Is color-blindness inherited, and is it more prevalent among men? T. I. S.

A. Color blindness is often inherited and may be partial or complete. It is found in from three to four per cent of men and less than one percent of women.

Q. Who was the greatest actress who won success after having been dismissed as unfit for the stage? I. F. I.

A. The story is told that Elizabeth Barry, a famous English actress, who lived from 1658 to 1713, succeeded after being tutored, by the Earl of Rochester, although she had been dismissed as unpromising. He is supposed to have wagered that he would make a first-rate actress of her within six months. She came to be the greatest actress of her time, creating more than 100 roles.

Q. Who were the original members of the American League in baseball? W. T. H.

A. The present American League was organized in 1900, and the clubs in it at that time were Cleveland, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Detroit, Buffalo, Chicago, and Minneapolis.

Q. What is meant by the Bill of Rights of the Constitution? H. G. M.

A. Amendments I-X of the Constitution are often referred to in this way. In some of the states dissatisfaction was expressed at the absence of anything resembling a Bill of Rights in the Constitution, and after its adoption, the first Congress proposed a series of amendments which were promptly ratified by the states as Articles I-X of the amendments as they now appear.

Q. How many cables are there from America to Europe? I. M. C.

A. A telegraph and cable company says that there are 14 submarine cables between the United States and Europe.

Q. Why is the word Christmas abbreviated Xmas? S. E. V.

WHO'S WHO

In The Days News

CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO

Plans have been completed for a visit to this country of the Crown Prince of Japan, who expects to come here in the spring. He will go about incognito, seeing with his own eyes rather than those of an official escort, and spreading his activities here in as many directions as may suit him. He will try to get first-hand impressions, cutting out red tape and ceremony as far as circumstances permit.

CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO

"Never before has an heir to the Japanese throne, gone abroad. In the centuries when the mikado was an official cipher the Shoguns kept him at home, to give the show of sanction to their own proceedings; and in the half century since his power was restored he has been occupied with national policies and aspirations and has had no time, if he had inclination, to step beyond his own boundaries.

Circumstances have changed, however, since Japan ceased to be isolated and has advanced to the front rank of the nations. It happens that the Japanese Crown Prince may well be spared from home, for he is only nineteen, and his father, the emperor, is still a young man; and the foreign contact that will be brought about by the visit will benefit the prince by broadening his outlook, while it will substitute in the minds of his entertainers the impression of an agreeable and likable personality in place of the impersonal and sphinx entity heretofore associated with the government of Japan.

The Crown Prince's name is Hirohito. He was born April 29, 1901. Following the custom of the imperial family, he has been educated both in the army and the navy, holding the military rank of second lieutenant and the naval rank of sub-lieutenant of the second class. He wears the jewelled rosette and chain of the Supreme Order of Chrysanthemum—an imperial decoration. His younger brothers are Prince Yasuhito, born June 25, and Prince Nobuhito, born January 3, 1905.

Abe Martin

Hardin's goin' t' have a whole lot o' Wilson autos t' keep in repair next summer. Mrs. Lafe Bud went t' town t' buy a hat an' had t' park seven times before she found what she wanted.

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New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 6.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up and to an auction of the jewels and trinkets of Miss Thomas, the cinema actress, who lately died in Paris. And many stage folk there and there were mighty bargains. Thence to Brentano's where I browsed about among some fine old editions but too poor in purse to buy. Saw Geraldine Farrar, the singer, and was not so mightily struck with her beauty.

For a walk through the town and this day for the first time I saw a pale. He rich, poor, women and police fighting and clawing like mad and I took pains to keep my distance in especial when they brought hose to sprinkle them with water. To lunch with Mr. Shupson, the barrister, and we had a fine veal pie.

Calling at the mode dress-maker's for my wife we went to see a painting done by a blind man and very good too. Then to see Mrs. Hall, the widow of my boyhood friend, and she agreed to loan me some volumes I have been wanting a long time. A light snow has fallen over the city.

Home where I laboured long into the night and then came some roisterers demanding strong drink but my sherry of claret is empty and they were off. And so I sewed a button on my shirt which I do when I am not good friends with my wife. Then to bed.

Tony Salvie has gone out of business. Tony made his living pointing out the owner evidence of those who had been on the wrong side of the argument along the bowery. He used to handle twenty customers a night at a dollar each. There are very few night on the Bowery now with dicks. The gangster has come with his knife and gun and the repairs must be done at the hospital. For years Tony had a sign in his window that was unique. It was the likeness of a human eye with a dark circle under it. A line under it read: "Black Eyes Cured While You Wait." Tony is going into the more genteel trade of barbering.

It has been the habit of New York Lead-walters for years, after they have acquired a following, to go into business on their own hook. The records show that only two out of the long list have been successful. One who recently spent $10,000 fixing up a cosy little restaurant only to have it go into bankruptcy in a month, said: "The patrons promised me they would be glad to come to my new place and encouraged me. But they never did!"

In a new volume of poetry by a New York bard he sounds his melancholy thoughts in the dedication which reads: "To My Wife: Whose Lack of Interest in This Book Has Been My Constant Inspiration."

Those who wonder at the high salaries of stage directors—they do get two and three thousand a week—would be content and cease wondering if they saw him whip a twisted comedy in shape. I have been watching one for three weeks. He was fresh and buoyant at the start. The second week his voice was a whisper and his nerves on edge. Three days before the opening he was really a pathetic sight. He trembled in every limb. There were great circles under his eyes and his voice was entirely gone so that he could only make motions. He had worked 18 hours out of every 24 for three weeks. He slept only by the aid of sleeping potions and the night of the opening he had to be assisted into a darkened box of the theatre. His show was a success—but he is now recovering in a sanitarium.

DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

Everybody's Lonesome

Way down deep within their hearts
Everybody's lonesome;
Far within their secret parts
Everybody's lonesome.
Makes no difference how they smile,
How they love or what their style;
Once in every little while
Everybody's lonesome.

People first in big affairs—
Even they are lonesome;
Maybe like to put on airs,
Just the same they're lonesome.
Men for whom existence blends
Every good; who gain all ends,
Still reach out their hands for friends;
Everybody's lonesome.

Women, silk-clad, jeweled fine,
Yes, they too are lonesome;
When their gems the brightest shine
They are just as lonesome.
Some must serve and some command,
All still seek with groping hand
Love and friends who understand;
Everybody's lonesome.

Though your gift of friendship's small,
Everybody's lonesome.
It may answer some one's call,
Some one who is lonesome;
Give, and give with might and main,
Give your hands, and join the chain,
And your gift will be your gain
Sometime, when you're lonesome.
—Detroit News.

Well Named

Visitor (to facetious farmer)—"I'd like to know why on earth you call that white pig 'Ink'?"

Facetious Farmer—"Because he's always running from the pen."

I Never Knew

I never knew before, the world
So beautiful could be
As I have found it since I learned
All cares to cast on Thee:
The scales have fallen from mine eyes
And now the light I see.
—Selected.

A Bargain

"I'm getting our ice from a new man now, dear."

"What's wrong with the other man?"

"The new dealer says he'll give us colder ice for the same money."—Boston Transcript.

A Ringer

"Why didn't you send up a man to mend our electric bell?"

"He did so, Madam, but as he rang the door bell twice and got no answer, he concluded that there was no one at home."—Electrical Experimenter.

An "Honest" Man

On going his rounds about midnight a policeman noticed an individual moving from house to house and trying to open the doors.

He seized him by the collar and said:

"What are you doing here?"

"Oh, nothing particular. You see, I've found a latch key and I'm merely trying it on the doors in order to restore it to the owner."

Cruel!

Classical music does not appeal to Larry Pollard. The little Reliance Film Company comedian and Producer Hal E. Roach were in a Los Angeles motion picture house when, for an overture, the orchestra rendered "La Boheme." Heavy applause greeted the bowing leader.

"They certainly appreciate good music here," ventured Mr. Roach.

"Ah, they're not cheering the music," said Pollard.

"No."

"No, drawled Harry, "they're applauding because it's over."

Creditors Must Eat Too

Mr. Thursday—"Our friend, Dodge, tells me that he is doing settlement work lately."

Mr. Friday—"Yes, his creditors finally cornered him." — People's Home Journal.

POLLY AND HER PALS — And This Was No Veiled Suggestion, Either — BY CLIFF STERRETT

LOUIE THE LAWYER — It's A Truthful Name, Anyway

TERRIBLE TESSIE -:- By Hal Proboco

Woman Found Stricken In Home

Mrs. John Heidenheim, one of the best known residents of Waverly was found in a paralytic condition at her home Friday noon by a relative, and after taking her way into the house the relative found the woman to be suffering from a stroke of paralysis. She is about 70 years of age and lives alone at her home in Waverly. Mrs. J. H. Schenky of this city, who was in Waverly Friday and Saturday talked with Mrs. Heidenheim about five o'clock Saturday afternoon, she sending word by the local woman to relatives here. Saturday night she was seen on the Waverly street, returning home about nine o'clock.

Louis Stropp, a grandson of Mrs. Heidenheim, arrived in Waverly Sunday noon from Columbus to take her to Columbus for the winter. On arrival at the home he could not arouse anyone and later he looked in the window to discover Mrs. Heidenheim on the bed. He summoned neighbors and they broke into the house. A physician was called and he found the woman's entire left side paralyzed. She was unconscious and relatives do not know whether she was stricken Saturday night or Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Nickel of 1217 McColpin avenue and Louisa Heidenheim of New Boston are children of Mrs. Heidenheim. Mrs. Nickel, Mr. Heidenheim and Mrs. Louisa Stropp of Columbus were children at the woman's bedside Sunday. Her other children, John and Scott of Petersburg, Ind., have been summoned to Waverly.

Moonshiners Shot Way To Liberty

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., December 6.—Twenty-six members of United States revenue officers that surrounded them, the moonshiners last night shot their way to liberty in an exciting pistol battle with revenue officers at Ranger, W. Va., after two of their number had been captured by the raiders, according to details of the raid which became known here Saturday following the return of the raiding party to Huntington.

Two men were captured and were bound over to the action of the federal grand jury under $1,000 bond when they were arraigned Friday before U. S. Commissioner J. P. Douglass. The others made good their escape.

Six revenue officers were making a raid in the hills near Ranger when they suddenly came upon eight men operating a still, full blast. A pistol battle ensued and six of the moonshiners made good their escape. Two were captured and brought to Huntington.

WREATHS OF FORGET-ME-NOTS PLACED ON MEMORIES OF DEPARTED ELKS AT ANNUAL LODGE OF SORROW

With solemnity and impressiveness the Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks No. 154 paid a glowing tribute to the memories of their departed members Sunday afternoon when the annual lodge of sorrow was held.

This day in Elkdom is universally observed but no where with more appropriateness than in Portsmouth and the exercises yesterday were conducted with tenderness, simplicity and impressiveness. It is the day on which the virtues of the dead are extolled, the day on which homage is paid to those who have trod life's path and have answered the call of their Master.

The opening exercises were in charge of Exalted Ruler S. Asseten Skelton and other officers of the lodge. Following this ritual an octette composed of Miss Myrtle Ziegler, Miss Bertha Staiger, Fred Lorey, Chester Riggles Mrs. C. E. Nodler, Miss Kate Monaghan, Karl Kappas and Watson Goddard sang very sweetly "Crossing the Bar."

Eulogy on W. T. Bauer

Sidney Anderson, pastor exalted ruler then delivered the following eulogy on the late W. T. Bauer, whose death occurred during the past year:

William Thomas Bauer was born at Du Bois, Penn. October 16, 1890. He received his education there and came to this city when he was not of age and started for his life's journey. After a short while here he became the representative of the Sun Vapor Street Light Co.

In this work he served the people and made friends wherever he went. He was always ready to do a piece of repair work for any man when his lights went wrong, the night or day was never too dark or cold for him and always with a smile.

On the 25 day of Feb. 1912 he was united in marriage with Miss Helen Rentinger of this city. A son William Jr., was the only child, and how proud he was of his family that he loved so well.

He had just been a member of the B. P. O. E. a few short months and yet he was known and loved by all. He carried a smile always and this smile made him friends.

The last few years of his life he was local representative for the Cincinnati Abrasive Co.

In his lingering sickness I saw him and the smile was on his face as when he had his health, yet I realized that he knew the seriousness of his condition, but his spirits were none the less brave and cheerful.

Mr. Bauer was a natural Elk. He believed in the great principles of the order.

Faith—the gift that saves mankind.
Hope—the gift that cheers mankind.
Charity—the gift that makes men kind.

The stroke of eleven has sounded and a brother was taken from us. He was in the May day of his life, a young man with a family and a home to love and care for a man that scattered flowers along the living and spoke words of kindness to all.

He did not care for great wealth. Perhaps this is one of the great secrets of his hold upon the affections of his fellow men and especially our Brothers who find in his career a demonstration that a good name is rather to be chosen than great riches.

He died August the 28th 1920, and was laid to rest at Du Bois, Penn. May light perpetual shine upon him and when our work on earth is done and the end cometh to us all may we find in that country of peace, and everlasting home.

CLASSIC OPENED RESTAURANT SUNDAY; INVESTIGATION ON

There were no violations of the Sunday closing order yesterday, according to the police, unless it is decided that the proprietors of The Classic, Fifth and Chillicothe streets, lifted the bar by opening up their place of business as a public eating place.

The matter of The Classic opening has been referred to Attorneys A. Z. Blair and Harry Ball, legal advisers of the new law enforcement league, by Mayor W. N. Gableman for investigation and charges may follow.

Management of The Classic stated to the Times this morning that only the restaurant department of their business was open yesterday and declared they were wholly within their rights as they have applied to the state and received a license to conduct a restaurant. It was stated that only sandwiches and short orders were served at the place together with hot drinks, coffee and chocolate.

ALLEGED GUN TOTER GOES ON RAMPAGE; CAUGHT BY POLICE

James Hall was the name given by a young man arrested by the police about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and locked up at the city jail on a formal charge of gun toting.

Hall, who is a brickworker, after tanking up on liquor started into shoot up the town, it is claimed, firing several shots from a pistol in the vicinity of Chillicothe and Seventeenth streets before the officers arrived on the scene and nabbed him.

YOUTHS TRIED TO ENTER LIBRARY THROUGH WINDOW; HELD BY POLICE

[illegible] were taken into police custody by the police Sunday afternoon when they were caught in the act of entering the public library through a window, it is claimed.

The youths were brought to police headquarters but were later released on their promise to appear in court to explain to Acting Judge E. G. Millar.

BABY FOUND DEAD

Velda Imogene, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duncan, of South Portsmouth, was found dead in bed about three o'clock Monday morning.

It had not been ill Sunday and appeared as lively as usual. About three o'clock the mother awakened and felt the baby's head and found it cold. Further examination showed it to be dead. A physician was called and he found that the child had died from natural causes.

The baby would have been three months old the 14th of this month. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan have a son, Junior Duncan. Mr. Duncan is a well known steel worker.

The funeral will be held Tuesday with burial at Quincy, Ky.

OBITUARY

George Craig Funeral

The body of George Craig, former Scioto county resident, who died in Arizona last week, is expected to arrive here tonight about midnight via the N. & W.

The body will be taken to the home of Charles Noel on Scioto Trail, from where the funeral will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. N. E. Butler of Trinity church will have charge of the last rites. Burial will be in Carey's Run cemetery.

Death Claims Mrs. Johnson

Mrs. Jerusha Johnson, widow of the late Joseph Johnson, died at her home, 1127 Eleventh street, at 12:45 o'clock this morning after an extended illness of cancer. She had been seriously ill since last August.

The deceased was born in Pike county, but had been a resident of this city for a number of years. Her late husband was janitor at the Eleventh street school for some years. Mrs. Johnson was about 78 years of age. Her closest surviving relative is a niece, Mrs. Will Cornuite, of Ninth street.

Mrs. Johnson was a member of Allen Chapel A. M. E. church and also a member of Shela Court, Eastern Stars. Funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. W. E. Watson of Allen Chapel in charge. Burial will be in Greenlawn.

Character.

Character, instead of being a means to and end, is itself, the end to be accomplished; and those to whom the world will always look up as its most magnificent characters, have been those who were in themselves superior to the things of circumstance and environment. They were men who, come what might, held true to their own best selves, and the highest interpretation of the visions vouchsafed them.

More Common Sense Needed.

Before our children draw their first breath we start closing in upon them with every kind of theory. Theories to the right of them, theories to the left of them, they are often victims, as really as were the immortal Six Hundred to the fact that "Someone has blundered." In taking our children conscientiously, why must we let our idea of duty ride roughshod over common sense?—Atlantic Monthly.

Nothing Weak About That.

"Curiosity and acquisitiveness abnormally large," said the phrenologist, examining the woolly head of Sam Snow, colored. Sambo rolled his eyeballs and showed two rows of white ivory. "Imitativeness, causality and conscientiousness small; which, with your weak mouth, indicate—" "Dat yo be so shu 'bout me habin' a weak mouf, I kin crack nuts in ma leef."

Masonic Dance Tomorrow Night

Masons, their wives and sweethearts are looking forward to the dance to be given Tuesday night at Bateman's academy. An enjoyable evening of dancing is in store for all who attend as the committee in charge has made complete arrangements for an evening of pleasure. Beatman's orchestra will furnish the music. Dancing will take place from nine until twelve. All Masons their wives and sweethearts are invited.

Youth's Leg Found Broken

Robert Taylor, young son of Mrs. Mary Taylor of 2932 Walnut street who was run down by an automobile last week had an X-ray of his leg taken Saturday. It shows the leg to be badly broken above the knee. It is probable that an operation may be necessary so the bones can be wired together.

Organist Resigns

Joseph Kershaw, organist at All Saints' Episcopal church, resigned his position Sunday morning, following some differences of opinion as to the scope of his work. It was found impossible to secure another organist for the morning service, the rector, Rev. E. Ainger Powell, explaining the situation. At the evening service Mrs. A. Frost Davis presided at the piano.

THE MOVIES

Special Matinee at 3:30 for School Children at the Eastland Theatre Today. Showing Jane and Katherine Lee, in "The Circus Imps". Also Alice Joyce in "The Vice of Fools." Every Child in Portsmouth Should See Jane and Katherine Lee in "Circus Imps."

In order that every school child in Portsmouth may have an opportunity of seeing Jane and Katherine Lee in "The Circus Imps" the management of the Eastland Theatre has arranged an especial matinee after school today, starting at 3:45 P. M. one show only. Every child in Portsmouth will want to see Jane and Katherine Lee, long a favorite of the entire United States and in "The Circus Imps" they are funnier than ever before. In order that all the grownups can see this picture the two nights it is here we would earnestly advise sending the kiddies to this matinee. Don't forget, right after school, today, one show only.

BOY TUMBLES OUT OF BED; ARM BROKEN

Hubert Warnock, six year old son of J. W. Warnock, of 2009 Gallia street, East Portsmouth, fell from a bed Sunday and suffered a broken left elbow. The child was playing on the bed when he fell to the floor. Dr. Oscar R. Mickelthwait reduced the fracture. An x-ray of the elbow was taken at Fowler's laboratory Sunday.

RUN OVER BY WAGON; ARM BROKEN

Lenita McCormick, of Wheelersburg, route 2, suffered a broken right arm recently when she was run over by the school wagon. Dr. G. M. Andre, of Wheelersburg, attended the girl and reduced the fracture.

PLAYS VOLLEY BALL; WRIST BROKEN

Dave Mitchell, who suffered a broken right wrist several days ago while playing volley ball, is getting along nicely. An x-ray of the wrist was taken at Fowler's laboratory.

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson and son Billy are ill with influenza at their home on Court street.

No Bones Broken

John Smith, of Perkins addition, New Boston, employed at the Peebles paving brick plant, dropped a brick on his foot while at work Saturday. The foot was injured but it was found that no bones were broken.

TWO CARS STOLEN

The police here Monday were instructed to keep a lookout for a seven passenger Chandler machine, which was stolen in Cincinnati several days ago and a gray Stutz roadster, which was recently stolen in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Small Bone Broken

Elizabeth Vernier of the West Side dropped an iron on her left foot last July. The foot did not give her any trouble until the last few days and Saturday she came to Portsmouth to consult a physician. An X-ray showed a small bone in the foot broken.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river is falling here and the gauge at 7 o'clock this morning showed a stage of 1.8.

The Ohio is due down tonight for Cincinnati. The Kanawha, General Wood and Chris Greene passed down Sunday for Cincinnati.

Did He Understand?

"When I don't want a man's attentions can he asks me where I live, I say in the suburbs." "Ha! Ha! Excellent, but where do you really live, Miss Brown?" "In the suburbs, Mr. Short."

Sea Gulls.

There are more than 50 kinds of gulls to be found all over the world. Most of these are marine or sea dwelling birds, though several species are found near bodies of fresh water, like the Great Lakes and other inland seas. As there are many kinds of gulls, so, too, they have many names, some of which possess real charm and interest. Among them are the arctic gull, the goose gull, the herring or silvery gull, the Iceland gull, the kittiwake, the laughing gull, and the seamew.

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BELIEVED THIEVES USED STOLEN CAR TO GET MOONSHINE WHISKEY

C. B. Ehrman of the Portsmouth Paige company stated Monday that he was satisfied that the two young men, who recently broke into his garage and stole William Marshall's machine used the car to get some moonshine whiskey in Lewis county, Kentucky. He says he learned that the men crossed the river at Vanceburg last Friday and then drove to the "Y" trail on the West Side, where they abandoned the machine.

The men stopped at a store in Friendship and bought some cheese and crackers before coming to this city. The car was considerably damaged as it had evidently figured in an accident.

B. And L. League To Hold Meeting In Ironton

IRONTON, Dec. 6—The Ohio Building Association League will hold their annual session in Ironton, Wednesday December 8th at the Hotel Marting.

The Fifth District of the Association of which Lawrence County is a part covers membership in fourteen counties of the state and representatives from the different building and loan associations throughout the district will attend the meeting.

Mr. A. J. Stoddard of Dayton, O. president of the Ohio State League of B. & L. Associations of Ohio and Mr. James Devine of Columbus, secretary, are to be present at the convention.

Portsmouth, Chillicothe, Jackson and Gallipolis are among the cities who will send delegates.

The Ironton Building and Loan companies will entertain the visitors with a 6 o'clock banquet at The Marting.

Auto Hits Curbing; Wheel Is Smashed

An automobile driven by A. R. Wilson of Huntington suffered a broken wheel when it collided with a curbing in East Portsmouth Sunday night. Mr. Wilson says he lost control of the car when he turned around to say something to persons in the rear seat of his machine. He was on his way to Huntington when the accident occurred.

Auto accident insurance? W. W. Bauer.

Gems Affected by Light.

The colors of most gems are more or less fugitive. That is, under certain circumstances they are liable to fade. Take two rubies exactly similar, shut one in the dark, and leave the other exposed to full sunlight, and at the end of two years there will be a distinct difference between them. The one that has been exposed to the light will be decidedly paler than the other. Similar results may be observed with both emeralds and sapphires. Garnets also will turn lighter, while in the case of the topaz, sunlight ends by dimming and dulling the color of this pretty stone.

"French Leave."

Many authorities believe that the term "French leave" originated in a French custom in the eighteenth century of withdrawing from crowded assemblies without taking leave of host or hostess. Others maintain that the word "French" is a corruption of "frank," meaning "free."

Argentine's Amendment Up Next Session

GENEVA, December 6.—(By the Associated Press)—Argentine's amendment to the covenant of the League of Nations, rejection of which caused the delegation of that country to leave the assembly on Saturday morning, has been referred to the assembly for consideration at its next meeting. Honorio Pueyrredon, head of the Argentine mission told the Associated Press today that his delegation would leave for Paris on Wednesday or Thursday.

"Today's decision of the assembly finally settles the question for Argentina," he said. "I shall make a few calls, give several luncheons and leave for home the middle of the week. I was willing to consent to the postponement of all Argentina's amendments except those regarding the admission of all states and the election of the four elective members of the council, but the assembly has seen fit to resort to a technicality of procedure in a matter vital to the life of the league. I am sure American public opinion is with us in this matter and I have already received indication of this in a cablegram from Chicago."

Senor Pueyrredon intimated the withdrawal of Argentina from the assembly might be followed shortly by a formal announcement of that country's intention to retire from the league itself.

LONDON, December 6.—Withdrawal of the Argentine delegation from the assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva does not seem to be endorsed by the British press so far as opinion is reflected in editorial comments.

While declaring it is heartily in sympathy with the motive of Argentina's protest, the Daily News expresses regret for her threat and says that to withdraw from the league at such a moment and in such a cause, would weaken the progressive elements in the league and strengthen the reactionary forces.

The Chronicle absolves the assembly from blame, adding:

"For a member of the league to join unconditionally and then retire the moment its fellow members delay to transform the league at its bidding is not playing the game.

Only evil could have resulted from making amendments when the bulk of the clauses of the covenant have never been in operation," declares the Times. Amendments when the time comes for them should be the fruits of experience and ripe consideration of practical needs.

Newspapers of this city refer hopefully to the possibility of the United States joining the league in the future. The Chronicle remarks: "The ground upon which the American cooperation may be obtained can be ascertained only by negotiations after President elect Harding assumes office. It would manifestly be unwise to prejudice these future negotiations by making piecemeal amendments to the league constitution.

Two Traffic Violators

Only two alleged traffic offenders were caught by the police over Sunday and they were Dr. A. L. Test who must meet a complaint of driving on the wrong side of the street and Harry Malone must explain his failure to keep the tail light burning on his car.

FIRE DESTROYS SHED

Portsmouth Should Worry

(Irontonian)

Portsmouth must be given credit for not attempting an alibi after the memorable defeat recently but it is seeking to leave the impression that somebody was short-changed in the gate receipts. But since they did not share in them, Portsmouth should worry.

Meet me at Nye's fountain. If

New Home Completed

Attorney C. M. Searl's new home at Nineteenth and Franklin avenue has been completed and he will move into it within a short time.

Mr. Jordan Home

Alan N. Jordan has returned from a trip to Columbus in the interest of the proposed Portsmouth-Sandusky canal route.

Visited City

F. H. Gettles of Wellston was a visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

Is Improving

William Osmyer, carpenter of 1032 Twentieth street, who fell at Minford some months ago and broke both heels is slowly improving. He is able to walk some with the aid of a cane.

Meet Tuesday

The weekly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday noon at 11:30 o'clock at the Elks' club.

New and Rebuilt Bicycles At Emil Arthur's 1016 Gallia St.

An alarm from Box 48 shortly before four o'clock Sunday morning sent the companies from two fire stations on hurry runs to 1013 Fourteenth street where a shed at the rear of the house of Earl Puckett was discovered in flames.

The shed was entirely destroyed together with a lot of tools, Mr. Puckett says $25 will cover the loss.

Hardback will insure you.

Meet Wednesday

The Portsmouth Lodge of B. P. O. Elks will meet in regular session Wednesday night and will pass upon a big list of applications.

WHEEL STOLEN

Martin Hahn, who lives at Fifteenth and Chillicothe streets notified the police Sunday that his Iror Johnson bicycle was stolen.

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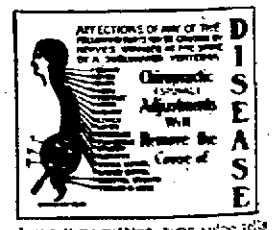

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